



Babe Didrikson Zaharias, carrying the British women's amateur golf trophy, does a highland fling with her husband, George, on arrival in New York aboard the Queen Elizabeth.

Home-Going Yugoslav Dies On Ship After Altercation

Today's Final Prices On Vancouver Market

(By Mrs. Bate & Co. Ltd.)

Commodity	Price	Commodity	Price
Wheat	1.10	Barley	1.00
Oats	0.80	Flour	1.20
Beans	1.50	Meat	2.00
Butter	1.80	Eggs	1.50
Milk	1.20	Cheese	1.50
Vegetables	1.00	Fruit	1.50
Grain	1.10	Stocks	1.20
Timber	1.50	Real Estate	1.00
Coal	1.20	Gas	1.50
Oil	1.80	Electricity	1.00
Iron	1.50	Steel	1.20
Copper	1.80	Aluminum	1.50
Zinc	1.20	Lead	1.00
Silver	1.50	Gold	1.80
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Officer Cadets Taking Course In In Armored Warfare Paid By Army

OTTAWA (CP)—Representing nearly every university in Canada, 190 officer cadets now are receiving general military training and special instruction in the fighting and maintenance of tanks and armored cars at the Royal Canadian Armored Corps School, Camp Borden, Ont., army headquarters announced today.

A complete departure from previous C.O.T.C. training methods has been made to provide trained army officers from a selected group of C.O.T.C. members, who receive 16 weeks' training for three successive summers.

At the completion of the course, successful students will be qualified as captains, reserve force, or for a commission in the active force.

Adequate pay for military training—\$135 a month—is allowed the officer cadets while serving at summer camp. On return to university they will take in addition to their ordinary courses, lectures covering military history, science, geography and war economics.

Ex-naval and R.C.A.F. veterans, as well as "old soldiers" and many students too young to have war service, are among those training from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the R.C.A.C. School, commanded by Lieut.-Col. Bruce Macdonald, D.S.O.

One Vancouver Island man, N. Gray of Saanichton, a student at McGill, is taking the course.

Other B.C. men, all attending the U.B.C., are R. L. Howson of Mission, T. L. Calder and J. W. Abbott of New Westminster, J. H.

Kenny of Prince George, and G. V. C. Baum, C. E. Kelly, W. E. McMyne, H. B. Mayne, A. S. Nemetz, I. N. Nicholson, L. M. Stone, J. M. Syvan and R. C. Trapp, all of Vancouver.

Russian Condemns Talk Of Early War

BERLIN (AP)—Thagliche Rundschau, official Russian newspaper, quoted an official of the Soviet military administration today as telling a German audience at Eisenach in the Russian occupation zone that "a new war in the near future is impossible."

The official, a Lt.-Col. Nasarov, made the statement in an address at a convention of the rightist German liberal Democratic Party, the paper said. Warning Germans not to take any stock in war rumors, Nasarov was reported to have said: "The peoples of the world don't want a war. Rumors about a new war spreading through Germany only seek to sow dissension between the Allied powers."

Jack Wellburn Wins Wrigley Mile Swim

VANCOUVER (CP)—Jack Wellburn, 17-year-old Victoria Amateur Swimming Club star, captured the British Columbia one-mile outdoor swimming championship, covering the distance Saturday night in 25 minutes 44 seconds.

Doug Anderson and Bob Thistle both of the Vancouver Amateur Swimming Club, were second and third, respectively, in the event sponsored by their club. Irene Strong, 18, won the women's mile event in 27 minutes 14 seconds.

Rifle Shooting

Jack Regan of the Canadian Scottish Regiment nosed out A. F. Ashe of the same unit in Saturday's shoot at Heals Range by virtue of a 49 against 44 points scored by Ashe at 200 yards. Ashe was leading at 600 yards with a perfect score of 50 points, the fourth possible this season. Scores follow:

CANADIAN SCOTTISH REGT.		
Jack Regan	300	600 Total
A. F. Ashe	49	98
Mal. W. H. Wood	47	94
Mal. A. M. T. Spittal	46	92
Carl Jean Dunbar	45	90
G. Knight	44	88
F. T. Allen	43	86
Reginald F. Drysdale	42	84
R. Pedich	41	82
Sgt. E. C. Roberts	40	80
C. W. Sutton	39	78
G. Griffin	38	76
B. W. Nelson	37	74
A. Jones	36	72
P. E. Richardson	35	70
Pie. Gray	34	68
Pie. Stan Walters	33	66
L. Samson	32	64
C. Goulis	31	62

B.C. COAST REGT.		
S. Mal. W. A. Laffey	47	94
Lt. Cmdr. J. S. Hutchinson	46	92
Jack Young	45	90
Jon Gibault	44	88
W. Geddes	43	86
Lt. J. A. Betts	42	84
Sgt. Arthur Sherwin	41	82
Lt. L. R. J. Palmer	40	80
Sgt. Mal. G. S. Carr	39	78
Ted Sherman	38	76
P. E. Richardson	37	74
L. G. Laffey	36	72
J. W. Jones	35	70
A. R. Hooper	34	68
R. T. Brindle	33	66
A. E. McLean	32	64
B. Q. M. S. Brent Varcoe	31	62

R.C.M.C.		
Sgt. Bert Drysdale	43	86
Capt. W. B. McKay	42	84
Mal. A. E. Evans	41	82
J. A. Robertson	40	80
E. A. Moore	39	78
H. Craine	38	76

Canadian Warships Complete Plans For Atlantic Cruise

OTTAWA—Operational ships of Canada's Atlantic fleet, with the exception of the aircraft carrier Warrior, will rendezvous at sea for exercises in mid-August. It has been announced by Naval Service Headquarters. This will be towards the conclusion of a cruise in which three Tribal class destroyers, the new Canadian-built Mimac and Nootka, and the war veteran Haida, will steam in company for a period of six weeks beginning July 17. It will be a period of intensive training exercises in the Gaspe and Grand Manan areas, terminating with a fleet regatta in the landlocked waters of Baddeck, Cape Breton Island. Ships joining the destroyers for the concluding exercises will be the frigate Portage and the Algerine escort vessel New Liskeard. One call will be made during the period, an informal visit by the destroyers to the port of New London, Conn.

The operation has been planned in co-ordination with the extensive training program for Reserves which was launched earlier in the year, and many officers and men from divisions in various parts of Canada will participate. Prior to joining the main group the Portage and New Liskeard will be engaged in their own training cruises.

Canadian Veterans Honor Dead Comrades

BROOKWOOD, Surrey, Eng. (CP)—Canadian veterans of two wars, accompanied by their families and friends, honored their dead comrades at ceremonies Sunday as the Canadian branch of the British Legion made its annual pilgrimage to the heather-clad military cemetery here.

In Brookwood lie 3,500 Dominion service men and women of the Second World War near 500 who died in the 1914-18 conflict.

Southern area British Legion branches joined with the Canadian branch in the ceremonies and British veteran buglers sounded the last post as the Canadian flag was lowered from the pole where it flies continuously over a field of white crosses. Then English cadets sounded the reveille as the flag was burst through threatening clouds.

Nearly 300 persons made the pilgrimage journey from London by train and before the observance had tea in the rest house, decorated with maple leaves, which was built by Canadians for those visiting the cemetery.

Baron Tweedsmuir, president of the Canadian branch and a veteran of Canadian army service, placed the first wreath, followed by Mrs. C. W. Evans, wife of the chairman of the Canadian branch, with a wreath from the Women's section. Flowers then were placed at the base of the flagpole by friends of the Canadians, including the South West Ham and District Horticultural Society "in memory of Canadian service men and women who gave all for liberty and freedom."

The chief speaker was Maj. Gen. Basil Price, president of the Canadian Legion, who is visiting the United Kingdom and whose son, Sqdn. Ldr. L. B. Price, is among those buried at Brookwood.

Weather

Weather today and tomorrow, valid until midnight July 8.

Synopsis: Weather conditions remain unchanged throughout British Columbia this morning with variable cloudiness in most regions. Decreasing cloudiness today and Tuesday will cause higher temperature over the province.

Vancouver and vicinity, Lower Fraser Valley and Georgia Strait—Cloudy this morning. Clear this afternoon, tonight and Tuesday. Wind light. Warmer today and Tuesday.

Victoria and vicinity—Cloudy this morning. Clear this afternoon, tonight and Tuesday. Wind light. Warmer.

West Coast Vancouver Island—Clear today and Tuesday. Wind light. Little change in temperature. Estevan low tonight 50 high Tuesday 65.

To 8 a.m.	P.D.T.	Today	Max.	Min.	Precip.
Montreal	83	80	10		
Toronto	82	79	20		
North Bay	84	78	1.63		
Port Arthur	74				
Kenora	58	79			
Winnipeg	61	81			
Brandon	59				
Regina	58	83			
Saskatoon	60	80			
Prince Albert	62	80			
N. Battleford	65	82			
Swift Current	61	82			
Medicine Hat	58	91	Trace		
Lethbridge	51	92	Trace		
Calgary	54	81			
Edmonton	55	87			
Kamloops	56	87			
Vancouver	60	86			
Seattle	49	67			
Portland	48	69	19		
Spokane	54	84			
Chicago	57				
San Francisco	54	84			
Los Angeles	58	86			
New York	68	85			
Vancouver	62	73			
Victoria	61	64			

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Afternoon Teas, Luncheons, Dinners, in "Olde England." Visit this treasure house of antiques. See the lovely Baronial Hall with its gems of 17th century furniture. Exclusive transient accommodation, G 5135, 429 Lampson St. Munro bus.

Alcoholics Anonymous — The alcoholic, as distinguished from a normal drinker, is a person who drinks even when he doesn't want to and knows he shouldn't. Such compulsive drinking causes unhappiness and ruins careers. If this is your problem, then you may obtain help—freely and confidentially. Apply—Victoria Chapter, Alcoholics Anonymous, P.O. Box No. 1, Victoria. P.O. Box No. 869, Duncan, B.C.

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Aprons: C.C.F. Garden Party, July 19, 930 Pemberton Rd.

Claret, Deep Cove. Drive through the lovely Saanich Peninsula. Chicken luncheon, dinner or Devonshire cream tea. Phone Sidney 82-F.

Chinese Public School Bean-guessing Contest. Results (919 beans): 1. M. Wilson, Vancouver, 915; 2. Ken Alexander, Victoria, 910; 3. Fred Yuen, Victoria, 930.

Christ Church Cathedral Women's Parish Guild, Garden Party, Wednesday, July 9 in the Bishop's Close, to be opened at 3 p.m. by Mrs. Banks. Admission 10 cents; tea 25 cents.

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Indonesians Plan Drastic Revision Of Note To Netherlands

BATAVIA, Java (AP)—The Indonesian Republic cabinet met hurriedly today in Jogjakarta and was reported considering drastic revision of its latest note to The Netherlands, informed sources said. Its first note was alleged to be so unfavorable that renewed warfare was a threat.

The cabinet convened shortly after deputy Prime Minister Setiadjit and A. K. Gano had arrived in a special Dutch plane.

Dutch sources said that when J. J. Van Mook, Netherlands East Indies Governor-General, told Setiadjit that the Indonesian note was unacceptable, Setiadjit appealed for a plane in which to return to the Republican capital. He said he would try to wrest further concessions from the cabinet to prevent military action.

Setiadjit requested that the note be withheld from publication because of prospects of revision. In Jogjakarta a high Indonesian official said the note was "an acceptance of the request contained in the United States aide memoire" of June 28. In that memorandum the United States urged a peaceful settlement of differences between the Indonesians and Dutch in setting up the United States of Indonesia and offered to discuss economic aid for Indonesia.

KEY ISSUES

Informed Dutch circles, however, expressed pessimism over avoiding armed conflict unless the Indonesians sharply revised the note, which they said was unsatisfactory on key issues, such

as whether the republic would accept the joint Dutch-Indonesian committee to safeguard foreigners inside the republic and whether the republic was willing to waive requests for foreign service distinct from federal representation abroad.

Meanwhile an Indonesian Republican spokesman said Java was now "in a state of danger." Guerrillas were being absorbed as quickly as possible into the national army. Air raid and black-out precautions were being taken, he added.

Yugoslavia To Quit

GENEVA (Reuter)—Edward Phelan, director-general of the International Labor Organization, told the conference today that Yugoslavia had given notice of her withdrawal from I.L.O.

He said the grounds for this step were that "in the opinion of the Yugoslav government, the constitutional covenant and the structure of the International Labor Organization have become incompatible and do not reflect the general trend."

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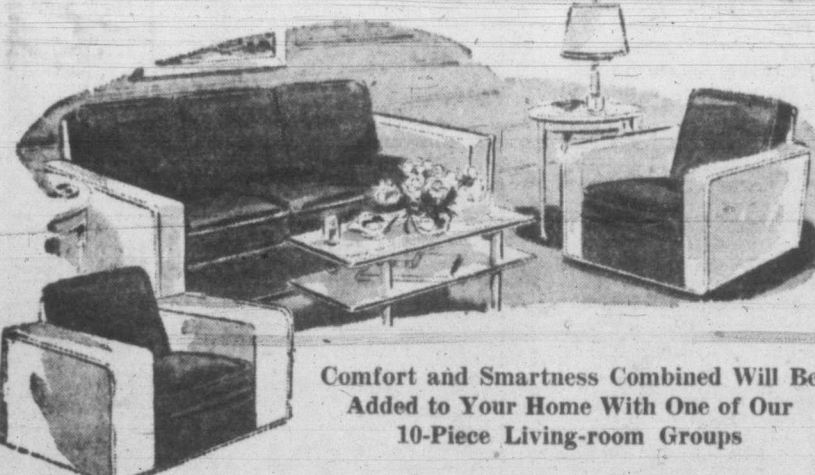
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Truman Tells U.S. Congress**

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Truman today asked Congress to admit a "substantial number" of Europe's displaced persons into the United States as immigrants.

In a message, Mr. Truman told Congress "special legislation limited to this particular emergency" would be necessary if the United States is to share in offering "an opportunity for a new life to these people."

Congress would be dealing "solely with an emergency problem growing out of the war."

Since the end of the war the armies of occupation had been able to return to their homes approximately 7,000,000 people.

"But there still remain in the western zones of Germany and Austria and in Italy close to 1,000,000 survivors who are unwilling by reason of political opinion and fear of persecution to return to the areas where they once had homes," the President said.

"The great majority come from

the northern Baltic areas, Poland, the Russian Ukraine and Yugoslavia."

Saying that countries in western Europe and Latin America have opened their doors to substantial numbers of these people, Mr. Truman told Congress: "Our plain duty requires that we join with other nations in solving this problem."

The President did not specify the extent to which he thought the quotas should be broadened. He emphasized that he is not proposing "a general revision of our immigration policy" or proposing lower standards for the admission of immigrants.

EFFORTS OF I.R.O.

He said the newly-established International Refugee Organization can aid in the care and resettlement of these displaced persons, but can not force member countries to accept these people.

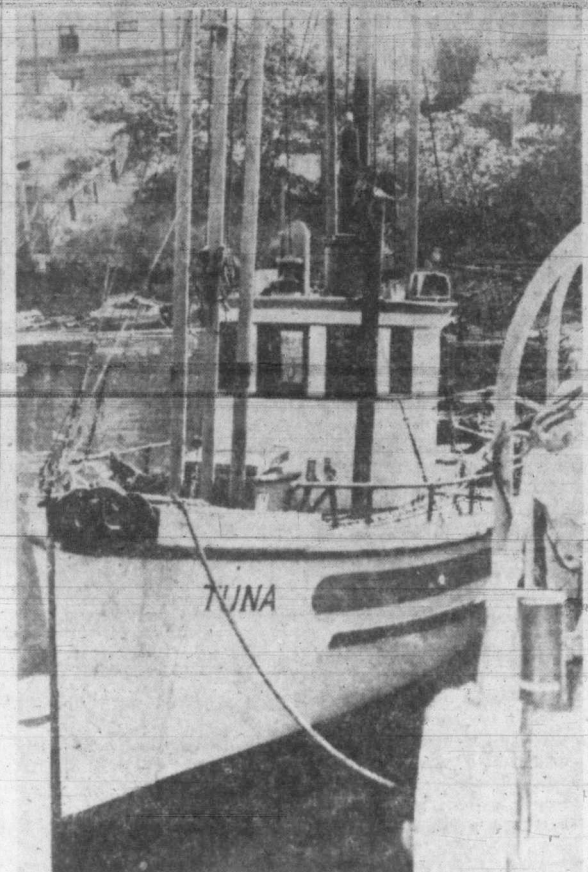
"It is unthinkable that they should be left indefinitely in camps in Europe. We can not turn them out in Germany into the community of the very people who persecuted them. Moreover the German economy, so devastated by war and so badly overcrowded with the return of people of German origin from neighboring countries, is approaching an economic suffocation which in itself is one of our major problems."

Shipyards Strike

MOBILE, Ala. (AP)—Alabama Dry Dock & Shipbuilding Co., working 4,000 employees on a record peacetime ship repair and conversion program, was shut down today by a strike of C.I.O. shipyard workers.

Police Boat Stolen

VANCOUVER (CP)—Less than a week after VPD 45, the Vancouver Harbor police boat, was removed from action as "unnecessary," thieves were at work along the waterfront. The police boat was stolen early today and recovered some hours later rammed in a nearby log boom with both engines still running.

Troller Held For Illegal Fishing

Charged with illegal fishing in Canadian waters, Capt. Edward Storsdahl with his salmon trawler, Tuna, of Seattle registry, is being detained in Victoria today pending word from Ottawa as to what legal action will be taken, G. A. Yardley, collector of customs and excise, reported today.

The American vessel was placed under seizure Saturday by Capt. W. Earnshaw, skipper of the federal government fisheries boat Klitmat. Mr. Yardley said the trawler was seized off Pacheña Point.

According to the report of Capt. Earnshaw, the Tuna tried

to make a get-away when she was ordered to heave-to after she was sighted fishing in Canadian waters. The vessel made an attempt to pass the three-mile limit, but was prevented from doing so by the Klitmat which circled the fishing trawler until she was forced to stop.

Capt. Storsdahl is reported to have claimed that he did not see or hear Capt. Earnshaw's order to heave-to, but was proceeding normally towards the U.S. mainland.

Mr. Yardley said the case had been submitted to Ottawa for action. He expected an answer late today.

**Mayors Of Canada To Discuss
Vital Matters At Conference**

WINNIPEG (CP)—Delegates from across Canada and from the United States were arriving today to attend the 10th annual conference of the Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities, which will open tomorrow and continue until Friday. More than 300 delegates are expected to attend.

Committees on housing, municipal finance and resolutions met today for pre-conference discussions and to prepare material which will go before the federation when its deliberations are formally opened.

Joint chairmen of the official opening will be Mayor Garnet Coulter of Winnipeg, president of the federation, and Mayor George C. MacLean of St. Bon-

iface, Man. Mayor Coulter is scheduled to welcome the delegates tomorrow.

Those attending will be guests of the City of Winnipeg at a luncheon following tomorrow's business sessions, when Municipal Affairs Minister Dona Dussault of Quebec will be the speaker.

Later, Maj.-Gen. Hugh A. Young, vice-president of the Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation, is scheduled to deliver a paper on the report of the pre-conference committee on housing.

Among subjects on the agenda are town and regional planning, civic recreation, community health and welfare and public relations.

**Victoria On Candy
Bar Buying Spree
As Price 7 Cents**

The chocolate bar strike which began late in April and which at its height saw placard-bearing youngsters parading through downtown Victoria in protest against the eight-cent bar, now is officially over and the town is on a bar-buying spree.

Chocolate bars went on sale for seven cents Saturday, and according to M. A. Bain, assistant manager at the Douglas and Yates Street Cunningham Drug Store, "have been going like hot cakes ever since." Signs are posted on the drug store windows announcing the drop in price.

Conclusion of the strike could be called a compromise. Bars jumped to eight cents each, from six cents, but two large eastern manufacturers announced last week their bars would drop one cent in price.

"We sold practically no bars, until this drop in price," Mr. Bain said. "We couldn't get rid of them."

"Now the people, children and adults alike, are on a regular chocolate bar buying spree. All varieties are selling at seven cents and people are buying four and five at a time. Before they would come in and buy bulk candy, but the bars are what many of them really like."

There are ample quantities of bars, he said, and he expects to have a sufficient supply from now on to meet the demand, despite the first big buying spree.

"We were notified by Western Wholesale Drugs at Vancouver, who distribute all the eastern candy bar manufacturers' products, that the price was down," Mr. Bain said. "Now the increase is only one cent and one cent was the tax."

**Citizen Narrowly
Misses Catching
Midnight Prowler**

While most residents who suspect persons of hanging about their premises telephoning the police, Robert Stewart, 727 Flagg Street, took a more direct course and narrowly missed capturing a prowler in his apartment building shortly after Saturday midnight.

Mr. Stewart saw a man glance into his bedroom in the apartment house and kept a watch on him. He saw the man go to the rear of the building and try to get through the window of another suite.

Mr. Stewart chased the man across the Hudson's Bay parking lot, but was unable to find him after the chase had reached Herald Street.

Iowa Ends Visit

VANCOUVER (CP)—The largest warship afloat, the 53,000-ton U.S.S. Iowa, slipped from Burrard Inlet at high tide here this morning, having played host to 10,000 visitors during her five-day visit to Vancouver.

The masts of the grey battleship barely cleared beneath the 200-foot high Lions Gate Bridge as she pointed her knife-like bow southward for a 90-day visit to the Hawaiian Islands.

Thousands of persons, many of them previously turned away from Ballantyne Pier where the ship was docked, broke through police lines Sunday and swarmed to the pier's edge. Two women fainted and ambulances, called to assist them, were unable to push through the milling mob. The near-riot was finally broken up by the U.S. shore patrol.

**Report Seeing
Flying Saucers
Over Victoria**

Flying saucers were reported to be seen in Victoria during the week-end and according to observers "did all kinds of peculiar things."

Darrell Mesher of 176 Eldon Place reported that he saw one about 4:35 Sunday afternoon, as he was looking toward Mount Douglas.

"It looked like an electric light globe with sun shining on it. It lasted about 10 minutes and then disappeared behind clouds. It was the first time I had ever seen anything like it," Mr. Mesher said.

"It did not seem very high in the sky but could have been anywhere from 25 to 100 miles away."

Mr. Mesher's wife, Doris, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Thomson, of 2649 Musgrave Street also saw the saucer or disc.

"It was like a large silver coin to me," said Mrs. Thomson. "It glittered and traveled at a good speed."

Reuben Tillyer, 811 View Street, who has resided in Victoria for 35 years, reported seeing four flying discs shortly after 9 Saturday night.

"I saw the first disc as we came to the back door of our house and then saw three more from an upstairs window," Mr. Tillyer said. "The saucer-description already given them in other parts of the country is a fair one," he said.

"They did all kinds of peculiar things, it seems to me. They turned, dipped and I saw a flam-

ing side and then as they turned saw a dull grayish color."

"I never saw anything like the discs in my life. They were going in an easterly direction and were drifting towards the Willows."

Dr. Joseph A. Pearce of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, said today that no discs had been observed by them.

At about 1:45 this afternoon Blair Wachter, age 12, 3019 Quadra Street, and Peter Walker, age 11, visitor at the home of his aunt, Mrs. F. Dymet, 2021 Quadra Street, reported seeing flying saucers, soaring like silver missiles in a northerly direction across the sky. They wobbled back and forth as they soared, reported young Wachter, and disappeared behind some high trees. "I'd say they looked about a foot in diameter," he said. "They were very silver." He said he saw them for a few seconds only and they were going quite fast.

**Flying Disc-Like Plane Plans
Stored Here, Says Vancouverite**

VANCOUVER (CP)—"You don't have to be an aviator to have an idea," Robert R. Lemar-

quand, a plumber, said today in revealing he was the inventor of the first cousin to the "flying saucers."

Lemarquand, who said his design for the elusive, variously described aerial phenomenon was locked in a safety-deposit vault in Victoria, said the original plans, while considered "feasible" by Boeing Aircraft, Seattle, were rejected in 1942. They were "too busy building bombers."

The aerial-minded plumber described his invention as a "circular double saucer aircraft."

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Lemarquand said he also gave his plans to the National Research Council and received a code number for them.

Citizens of lower British Columbia continued on their "crockery-spotting craze" with four reports from Vancouver and

three from the Fraser Valley town of Maillardville.

The latest eyewitness, Mrs. V. M. Bailey, Mrs. Edward Vere and Carol Watkins, were together when they reported seeing "a cloud of dust like two small tornadoes and three saucers coming up from behind some trees."

SHOW GREAT SPEED

"It was very pretty," they said. "They were going awful fast," said 12-year-old Carol Watkins.

Antoine Beauregard, known as "Eagle-eye" to his friends, said he saw one saucer pass over Maillardville at a height of 15 miles. Mr. Beauregard, a painter, said he was blessed with exceptional eyesight and "can judge height accurately." He was at work on a house when he saw the disc.

A Vancouver newspaper has a plane and a "flying photographer" ready to take off after any more reported saucers. The plane is equipped with special aerial cameras.

**Ex-R.C.A.F. Flier Says Saucers
May Be Still-Secret U.S. Planes**

TORONTO (CP)—A former R.C.A.F. pilot, Claude Lynch of Toronto, said today he thought the mysterious "flying saucers" were still-secret United States army pursuit planes which are called "flying flapjacks."

"It is shaped like a saucer with the after edges slightly chipped," he said. "On each side of that chipped edge there is a propeller and there are two engines. The motor is enclosed in the leading edge of the saucer and there are no bumps to indicate the nacelles."

STAMFORD, Conn. (AP)—Lester Barlow, internationally-known explosives inventor, advanced the theory today that the "flying saucers" were probably radio-controlled flying missiles.

Barlow suggested the reason the majority of disc reports come from the west was that military authorities preferred to utilize vast and relatively unpopulated open spaces for experiment.

He said he felt certain that "quite a number" of such flying missiles had been produced and "were in early stages of perfection," capable of flying in squadrons and being controlled "from remote points."

SYDNEY, Australia (Reuter)—Prof. F. S. Cotton, professor of physiology at Sydney University, today conducted a "flying saucers" experiment.

After discussing North American reports on "flying saucers" he led his class of 450 students into the open and told them to look at the clear sky and to concentrate their gaze on a fixed point while standing perfectly still.

Within 10 minutes 22 students reported they had seen "bright oval-shaped objects which moved rapidly, sometimes following each other in a line and sometimes resembling a string of pearls."

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MAYOR GEORGE'S PROPOSAL

ONE OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS IN the brief which Mayor Percy George has submitted to the special committee on municipal financial problems at the convention of the Federation of Mayors and Municipalities in Winnipeg today is that the cost of social services, including hospitalization and education, should be borne jointly by the Dominion and provincial governments. His Worship quite properly emphasizes a basic fact when he says that the costs of these services have climbed steadily in recent years. He might have gone a little further and said there is every prospect they will continue to increase so long as the general trend seems to be a demand for shorter hours and higher wages—a condition which the end of major economic controls has aggravated.

The proposal which Victoria's chief magistrate carried with him to the prairie capital, however, is one that will project many questions of far-reaching significance. For it would seem to strike at the root of taxation incidence and the fundamental principles of fiscal autonomy—the latter, of course, inherent in some of the major proposals to which the Sirois Report lent particular emphasis. In behalf of the widest application of Mayor George's principal theme, on the other hand, there is much to be said, always provided that approval is forthcoming for the surrender of authority by those agencies which, under the existing dispensations, are masters in their own houses. This would seem to be the rock on which the main suggestion from Victoria might meet its doom.

At this point, or so it seems to us, Mayor George and those civic representatives who agree with him in principle may be called upon to state their views on a Dominion tax, a Dominion-provincial tax, or some other form of tax that will attract dollars to the Dominion, or Dominion-provincial, coffers from which it will be possible to extract sufficient money to meet the costs of the numerous services listed for transference by this city's chief magistrate in his brief. Does Mayor George, for instance, favor such a general tax, based on social service, education and hospitalization expenses during the last year? This is a question to which a discussion of this kind certainly demands an answer.

What needs to be said and understood at this juncture, moreover, is that the cost of education and hospitalization is becoming an increasing worry to all concerned. Teachers have to be content with annual stipends upon which shipyard workers during the war years would have turned their backs. The overall cost of service and commodities is confronting those responsible for the conduct of the nation's curative establishments with increasingly difficult problems. In the light of these patent truths, therefore, it is highly important that the elected representatives of the people—municipal, provincial, and national—should address themselves to the amelioration of a condition in which the education and health of the people of this country are inextricably involved.

TAX-EXEMPT HOLDINGS

THE JUSTIFIABLE PLEA OF MUNICIPALITIES for grants in lieu of taxation—or some other form of compensation—from senior governments for services accorded the latter's tax-exempt holdings has again been voiced by Mayor Percy George, this time at the annual convention of the Federation of Mayors and Municipalities in Winnipeg. The case has been thoroughly canvassed. Little elaboration is required here. Esquimalt in particular suffers from this overload of federal institutions within its boundaries, but the capital of British Columbia does not escape its share of the unfair burden. There is every justification for recognition by the higher authorities of their responsibilities in this respect.

Municipalities, of course, are not unmindful of the value of payrolls the federal and provincial institutions make available in the districts in which they are situated. But that is not enough. Mayor George very properly hints that the case should not rest until some practical action has been taken by Ottawa.

INCONSISTENCY

ON JUNE 23 THE CITY COUNCIL FORWARDED to Capt. Norman Foster, director and trainer of the Victoria Girls' Drill Team, the copy of a resolution—passed unanimously—paying a glowing tribute to the demonstration given by the organization at the Portland Rose Festival. It spoke of the council's deep appreciation of the display, was warm in admiration of the manner in which it was conducted, and expressed satisfaction for the credit brought to Victoria and Canada by the performance. But the council declined this year to make its customary financial grant of \$250 to the institution. Could this be inconsistency? During the last 10 years the Drill Team has entertained innumerable groups here, has given its services to many worthwhile

causes, and has collected golden opinions of Victoria from those thousands of potential visitors from Portland and other points farther afield. The girls have done a magnificent job of advertising a community which counts heavily on tourist dollars to supplement the earnings of other industries. They serve without charge and they serve well. They do, however, incur expenses. And they cannot be expected to carry on unless some recompense is made to them for the value Victoria receives.

True, the city trimmed its budget this year beyond the limits of comfort. But can it justifiably refuse assistance to the Girls' Drill Team during the same year that a subsidy was made to a lawn bowling club?

LIGHTS-ALOFT

SPECULATION AT THIS POINT ON THE nature of the now famous "flying saucers" cannot be more than guesswork, as far as the layman is concerned, and the experts appear to be in little better position. Explanations have ranged from the opinion of one scientist that the phenomenon was merely the sun glinting on some high-flying birds, plus the excitement of mass enthusiasm; all the way to atomic missiles, jet-propelled aircraft, six-inch discs, balls of fire as big as a house, and spirits from another world. You may take your pick.

It is indicative of our mental attitude in this year 1947 that most of the speculation has tended to view the mysterious objects, if indeed they exist, as something in the nature of war weapons in the experimental stage. In earlier ages they might have been regarded as supernatural portents of calamities to come, requiring fresh supplications to unknown gods in order to avert catastrophe. But our thoughts are more earth-bound today. We have seen just enough of the evidence of man's scientific ingenuity to make our minds receptive to thoughts of further achievements—once considered in the realm of the fantastic.

Though the "saucers" may prove to be nothing more dangerous than a few drifting meteorological balloons, glinting in the upper sunlight, our thoughts cannot help toying with the idea that they may be something more lethal—some new man-made contrivance which may bring death and destruction from far beyond the horizon. No more do we think such things may be dire portents of the anger of malignant gods. There is justice and logic in the tendency of man's thoughts to ascribe more earthy causes. For two world wars, within a generation have almost convinced man that he is his own "malignant spirit," and that the threat to life on this planet comes not from the outer spheres and the machinations of petulant deities, but from the over-developed mind and the under-developed heart of man himself. As the immortal Shakespeare said, in a slightly different connotation: "The fault, dear Brutus, is not in our stars but in ourselves."

CLOUDING THE ISSUE

THE JEWISH CASE TO THE UNITED Nations special Palestine investigating committee will draw meagre benefit from presentations clouded by evasions such as those attributed to David Ben-Gurion, chairman of the Jewish Agency, today. This international fact-finding body wants the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth. Only as it secures vital information can it make a comprehensive and valuable report to the senior body that it represents.

If to the warped propaganda being circulated by an organized body of Jewish sympathizers in the United States is to be added testimony rendered untrustworthy by evasiveness, the very proper submissions of those who wish to make Palestine their national home will be weakened. From what sources Ben-Gurion and, for that matter, the Arab Higher Executive Committee, draw advice, we do not know. But the timing of both seems slightly off. Both appear to be centering their arguments on the essentiality of Britain withdrawing from the country. They seem to have ignored the point that the inquiry committee is now seeking information to frame a report to the United Nations Assembly. It is noteworthy, too, that each has a solution for Palestine. Says Ben-Gurion:

"The United Nations must declare an independent state in Palestine that will have a majority of Jews, but in which the Jews will have no more privileges than the others."

And Emile Ghoury, a member of the Arab Higher Executive Committee, also calling for the withdrawal of the British, says:

"Then we shall ask the Jews to live with us. If they refuse, those who wish to leave may do so and those who stay may adapt themselves to our government. It is up to the Arabs to decide the fate of Palestine. . . . (The Jews who elect to live with us in Arab Palestine will, of course, have all guarantees granted to minorities everywhere.)"

To the Arab or the Jew, the solution in Palestine appears simple. All that is necessary is to accede to both their demands. The points of irreconcilability are presumably banished by a hypnotic gesture with the hands.

NOTES

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Man On The Bridge

EVERY VICTORIAN at one time or another has seen the little grey launches that make their way out into the Straits, draw alongside the towering painted steel side of a freighter and let off or take on a pilot. But few of us know just what the man in the blue coat does or just how he goes about it. It's an exacting life, although interesting; pleasant, but sometimes dangerous, and it has a fascination for the men who engage in it which makes them stay on long after they might reasonably be expected to want to remain ashore.

THERE ARE TEN pilots at present under the B.C. Pilotage Authority at Victoria and two others at Nanaimo who come under the local office. Contrary to popular belief, the pilots themselves are not employed by the Dominion government, although adhering to government regulations. They conduct their business as an organized group and pool the earnings they receive from each ship. Apart from the pilots, the Victoria Authority, under E. H. Sweeney as Chief Officer, consists of a shore staff of four and three launch operators. The latter have four of the official grey craft to handle, working 24 hours on, 24 off and 24 "standby." As Mr. Sweeney observes, "We don't keep union hours."

LET US GO WITH ONE of the pilots on routine duty and see how he operates in the waters seafaring men know as "the most tricky pilotage in the world." At the little headquarters office on Dallas Road near the breakwater a radio message will have been received from a ship steaming up the Pacific Coast, informing the Pilotage Authority of the estimated time of its arrival at Race Rocks. Two hours before the event the pilot boards his launch and heads the craft southwestward towards the distant point of land. The incoming ship is met within a six-mile radius of Race Rocks and the launch pulls alongside. If the sea is calm there is no trick to boarding the larger vessel, but if the waves are running high it is quite a feat to step off the launch deck just at its highest point and get a safe grip on the ship's ladder. No local pilot has yet been killed while performing the transfer, but several have had a ducking between the plunging launch and the freighter's steel plating.

ONCE ON THE BRIDGE of the ship, the pilot takes over her navigation, giving brief orders to the helmsman. Another popular belief that a pilot is in complete command of the ship he has boarded is also wrong. He acts only in an advisory capacity to the master of the vessel. The latter has full responsibility at all times and may override the pilot's advice if he so wishes. The pilot brings the ship into quarantine at William Head, and later guides her alongside the docks in the Outer Harbor here, or to Vancouver or some other port in the B.C. coastal area. For outgoing ships the operation is reversed. The pilot goes aboard the ship at her berth, navigates her safely out into the Strait and then is taken off by the pilot launch.

AND HERE ANOTHER popular fallacy is exploded. There is no law which says that a ship must take on a pilot in these waters. It is solely a matter for the discretion of the owners, but no ship ever fails to use their services, even when moving from one berth to another in the same harbor. The reason lies in the heavy costs and terrific damage that can be incurred in a short time by a ship which gets out of control or neglects to avoid a local hazard.

THERE IS NO LIMIT to the size of ships which may apply for pilotage service. Many of the small pleasure yachts which come into these waters take a pilot aboard, and while the bulk of the business is done with lumber ships and other cargo vessels from overseas, there is the occasional warship to handle as well.

"A pilot doesn't worry much about the size of a ship once he gets the feel of her," Mr. Sweeney will tell you. "His main concern is how much water there is under her. The U.S.S. Iowa draws about 36 feet and there was not much clearance for her even at high tide when she steamed into Vancouver harbor last week."

IT IS DETAILED knowledge of his local conditions—tide, currents, weather, fog and other factors—which makes the pilot valuable. No matter how many years a ship's master may have spent at sea, he is up against new problems when he enters coastal waters, problems which require the intimate knowledge and familiarity which come only from long study and association. A man must have had at least four years of experience in command of a ship in pilot waters before he may sit for the pilots' examination; and he must know in detail the changing conditions to be met in all the waters and ports of our coast.

DURING THE WAR years shipping was cut to a minimum in British Columbia ports and there were slim pickings for the pilots. But now the coastal waterways are busy again, with as many as 100 ships a month being handled from Victoria. Many a time the local navigators are called from meals or bed to handle an unannounced assignment. But the job has an attraction—old friends are met again as ships take up their pre-war routes, new masters are found on the bridges of strange foreign ships, and there is always the pride of command and the thrill of a thrilling deck under the feet. In good weather or bad the pilots are ready. B. A. T.

'Hey, C'mon! Finish That Corral! Time's Awastin!'



The Cost Of A Baby

From The Times of London

ONE of the tasks of the Royal Commission on population is to find the reasons for a birth rate which, in spite of recent upward spurts, is substantially lower than at the beginnings of this century. Several social studies have been made to examine the many factors involved, among the most important of which is one by the joint committee of the Population Investigation Committee and the Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists, whose preliminary report has now been published.

COSTS ARE HIGH

The most striking feature of the report is concerned with the

expenditure involved in the birth of a baby. This part of the investigation aimed at obtaining from every mother interviewed a statement of the money spent on medical costs and other specified items, excluding the cost of borrowed or "handed down" clothes or prams. The survey was undertaken when rationing and price control were in full operation and secondhand goods were scarce and costly; consequently the figures probably represent minimum expenditure and the differences between social groups are less than in "normal" times. The results show that the costs of childbearing are high.

For legitimate first births they average £40 (\$160) and for legitimate subsequent births £26. Wives of professional and salaried workers spend approximately £47, wives of manual workers £32, and wives of agricultural workers £22. The married mothers interviewed was £32.

PRAMS AND COTS

Detailed analysis shows that for all groups—only about one-fifth of the expenditure is for medical and institutional fees. The cost of clothes—for mother as well as baby—of prams and cots accounts for three-quarters of the expenditure for first babies and two-thirds for subsequent births. Although the lower social groups spend less in actual figures than the more prosperous, in proportion to the total income they certainly pay much more.

"The birth of a baby," states the report, "in many poorer families means that the family budget can only be balanced by borrowing or drawing on savings."

Clearly the provision of free medical care will not greatly relieve the cost of childbearing.

The various forms of assistance to mothers, such as maternity grants and special allowances, reimburse the expenditure only slightly. Substantial reductions in the cost of childbearing depend more on the production of cheap baby clothes, prams and other equipment than on lowering further the cost of medical care.

REFORMS ESSENTIAL

This economic side of child-birth, the lack of sufficient facilities for the relief of pain, the need for more domestic help, the further extension of antenatal and, still more, postnatal care are the principal findings in this valuable social survey. The facts are now available for translation into administrative and other reforms which are essential if the long-term trend of a falling birth-rate is to be arrested and reversed.

Austerity And Health

Exchange

THE HEALTH of Britain's children is better today than in 1939 despite eight years of war-torn condition and shortages. This encouraging fact is revealed in the Ministry of Health's report for the year ended March 31, 1946, issued recently. Child mortality from disease at every year of life between the ages of one and fourteen reached new low levels—far less even than in 1939—which had already shown decreases then considered as remarkable.

Last year was noteworthy, too, for the fact that the maternal mortality rate was the smallest ever recorded. It has been almost halved during the last nine years. Fewer than two mothers in every thousand died at childbirth and only 46 of their babies failed to survive their first year.

The Moving Finger Writes . . .

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The Joyce Taylor of 3038 Douglas St. and the same employed at The Old English Beverage Co., is not the same Joyce Taylor mentioned in the swimming party of Victor Robert Hastings at Beaver Lake.

JOYCE TAYLOR, 3038 Douglas Street.

EROS

After being placed in safe keeping during the war the figure of Eros (Greek god of love) has been returned to its place in the heart of London. It was raised originally as a memorial to that great friend of the friendless and helpless—the seventh Earl of Shaftesbury. Human beings and animals were the great objects of his care and so deeply was he respected by his fellows that—

independent of any change of parties—a special seat in the House of Lords was conceded to him by courtesy.

After Miss Frances Power Cobbe founded the anti-vivisection movement Lord Shaftesbury became its president. His whole

character was noble and not a small or mean could live in his presence.

For time wasters he had no moments to spare. Every cabman and costermonger in London knew him and saluted him, and he was better known in the east than in the west. So, when Lord Shaftesbury died in 1885 he was buried in Westminster Abbey, and the lovely statue of Eros was erected in London to the memory of one who by word and deed fulfilled the motto of his house—"Love, Serve."

DORA KITTO, 516 Scollard Building.

TALENT TO ENCOURAGE

The work of the Brentwood College Art Club, started by the boys themselves has aroused considerable interest.

The boys' paintings added a splash of color and new interest to Speech Day at Brentwood College, and latterly their exhibition at the Little Centre has permitted a more leisurely inspection of the club's work.

Some of the work has promise, but more important than the results achieved, is the keenness that this struggle amidst paint and color and form has evoked amongst the boys themselves.

For them, surely, the world has become a brighter, livelier place; their powers of observation have been whetted and I know they will discover for themselves, during the holidays, added interest and beauty in their daily surroundings—and find it where they least suspected.

The whole idea underlying the Brentwood College Art Club and the informal way in which it has been conducted, is excellent; for it has been the means of drawing out something that is latent, not only in the Brentwood boys, but in all our young people.

It is to be hoped that our educational authorities will take note of what the Brentwood boys have started, and encourage the formation, in the schools, of similar informal groups for self-development and self-education.

MARIAN SHERMAN, M.D., 2901 Seaview Road.

Global Survey

BY DEWITT MACKENZIE
A.P. Foreign Affairs Analyst

THE BATTLE of the isms between the Russian bloc and the western democracies is intensifying as the result of Moscow's curt refusal to join in a unified program for the economic rehabilitation of stricken Europe—a refusal generally accepted in the western world as signifying Soviet intentions to push the campaign for the Communization of all the continent, and other lands.

That's a disconcerting development, though not unexpected. It likely means an ideological fight to a finish. However, it strikes me we shall make a mistake if we adopt the pessimistic view-point being advanced by some that this ideological warfare necessarily means combat with bombs and guns.

Of course we should be foolish not to recognize that the battle of isms might grow into a clash of arms, and we certainly must be prepared for all contingencies. But the real danger of war lies in permitting aggressive Communism to expand and gain power by using strong-arm methods on helpless countries. If such expansion is halted now, the danger of war will be lessened and perhaps nullified.

So we shall do well to avoid developing a complex that war is inevitable. Such a complex is a breeder of war.

GREATEST BULWARK

The greatest bulwark against aggressive Communism would be an economically healthy Europe, and the Anglo-French allies are proceeding energetically with arrangements for the conference of nations to consider the economic program proposed by U.S. Secretary of State Marshall. As demonstrating that Russia's co-operation still is wanted, London and Paris at the week-end sent new notes to Moscow, expressing the hope that the Soviet decision to boycott the American plan wasn't final.

All the countries within the Soviet zone of influence also have been asked to join the western countries in the forthcoming Paris conference. However, unless Moscow changes its attitude, one would expect it to order its satellites not to participate, thus precluding hope of achieving the badly needed economic unity for all Europe.

Apropos of this, Russia already is beginning to put the screws on some of the western democracies to keep them from adhering to the project. This is being done through the Communist parties in the various countries.

France is already coming under fire of her own big Communist Party—and she is vital to the economic recovery program. If Moscow so decrees, the French Reds can do much damage, for they are powerful both politically and in the trade unions. Italy is another country which is eager to participate in the recovery program, and is in much the same position as France with respect to the Communists.

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GENTLEMEN SCARCITY

London (Ont.) Free Press
Gentlemen sit in silence at the table while the waiter moves over to the chap who pounds the table with his fist and yells for service. That's why gentlemen are scarce.

OWN INTERPRETATION

Windsor Star
U.S. Senator Bridges charges Russia with "legalized looting of Germany with printing press money." Maybe Moscow thinks this comes under the head of freedom of the press.

IN ONE GLANCE

Edmonton Bulletin
It is, of course, axiomatic that the world's most utter nonsense is talked and written by omniscient observers who streak across a country in a sleeping car and, by some mysterious process of intellectual osmosis, immediately soak up a full knowledge of all that country does and thinks.

HAIL, COLUMBIA!

Washington Post
The announcement that General Eisenhower will retire as Chief of Staff to become president of Columbia University is an interesting surprise, although there had been rumors that something of the sort was in the wind. As far as the general himself is concerned, the decision to accept the offer seems altogether well advised. It assures him for the rest of his active life a position of great honor and influence, while removing him from any temptation to compromise his splendid reputation by involving himself in politics as a presidential candidate.

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Urges Motorists To Have Cars Inspected Before Vacations

Chief J. A. McLellan says that a few minutes spent in "safety-planning" before you start on your week-end trip, or vacation, will pay good dividends in happiness.

"The finest kind of holiday can be ruined if your party is involved in a smash-up," said the chief, and he offers the following advice to motorists:

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Do not overcrowd the car with passengers. A car should only carry the number of persons for which it is designed. An overloaded car handles differently, and crowding of the driver is always dangerous.

Do not pile baggage so high in the back seat that you cannot see through the rear-view mirror.

See that the mirror, rear window, windshield and side windows are clean.

Be careful with matches. Don't carry them loose in your pocket. Take only safety matches with you.

If you smoke, be scrupulously careful in the woods and forests; and if you make a fire, be sure that it is out and that there is no danger of it smouldering and bursting into flames later.

"Keep your mind on your job of driving, and remember your responsibility to deliver your precious cargo safely back home."

Gasoline Sales Increase In City

An increase of 10.94 per cent in the sale of gasoline to retailers in Victoria this April as compared with April, 1946, is shown in the Coal and Petroleum Board report.

The month's consumption totaled 622,657 gallons, an increase of 53,366 gallons over April, 1946, consumption.

Largest single jump throughout the province was shown in Port Alberni where consumption was 126,164 gallons, compared with April, 1946, consumption of 63,769.

A general increase of 19.15 was shown in provincial sales. Consumption was 5,822,624, an increase of 935,811 gallons over the consumption in April, 1946. Increase in the Vancouver district was 17.37 per cent. In the remainder of the province, the increase was 25.02 per cent.

A break-down of categories showed April consumption to be: Sales to retailers up 935,811 gallons, commercial sales up 451,948 gallons, marine sales up 172,398 gallons and aviation sales up 839 gallons.

412 Forest Fires In B.C. This Year

There have been 412 forest fires in B.C. to date this year, 59 less than the 1946 total of 471 for a similar period, according to the B.C. Forest Service weekly fire situation report for the week ended Saturday.

In the Vancouver district there were 127 fires to date, costing \$2,405, compared with 131 costing \$2,109 in 1946. In the Prince Rupert district there were 28, costing \$1,251, compared with 48, costing \$3,036 in 1946; in the Fort George district, 46, costing \$10,000, compared with 89, costing \$12,500 in 1946; in the Kamloops district, 145, costing \$4,371, compared with 140, costing \$5,110 in 1946, and in the Nelson district, 63, costing \$989, compared with 63, costing \$2,720 in 1946.

Total cost of fires to date this year is \$19,016, compared with \$25,477 for a similar period in 1946.

In 1945 there were 376 fires for a similar period, costing a total of \$9,449.

Fires burning last week were 12; fires occurring this week totaled 27; fires extinguished this week numbered 29, and fires still burning, 10.

Governor-General In Jasper Park

JASPER—Two tired but very obliging persons stepped off a Canadian National Railway west-bound transcontinental train at this famed resort centre Saturday with a heavy and fatiguing official duty behind them and the prospect before them of 10 days of relaxation to enjoy the beauty and charm of the Canadian Rockies.

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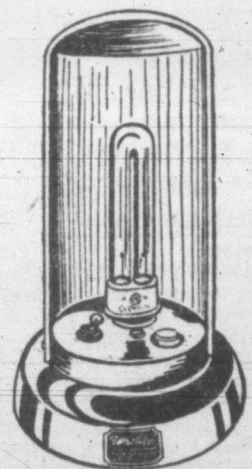
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Mayor Asks Social Services Be Federal Responsibility

The recommendation that social services, including hospitalization and education should be dealt with in a co-operative manner by the Dominion, in consultation with the provinces, instead of being left to the municipalities, was made by Mayor Percy George today, speaking to the special committee on Dominion-Provincial-Municipal Relations, at Winnipeg.

The committee is one formed by the Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities, which opens its national convention in the Manitoba capital Tuesday. Mayor George, who is presiding over the committee sessions prior to the convention, is the British Columbia representative on the committee.

BY TAXES ON PROPERTY

In his brief he discussed the particular problems faced by British Columbia municipalities, who must, for the most part, raise their finances by taxes on real property and pay their way on a yearly basis, while provincial sources of revenue are widespread.

The Mayor quoted at length from the findings of H. Carl Goldenberg, commissioner on provincial-municipal relations, and Dr. Max Cameron, commissioner on school administration, both of whom recently completed surveys in the province.

In B.C. municipalities raised 51 to 57 per cent of their funds on real property taxation, he said, while the province raises 2.41 per cent of its total revenue from this source. "So it is quite evident that owners of real property in municipalities are not in the happy position of owners outside municipalities," he pointed out.

EDUCATION COSTS

Regarding education costs, there is a particularly heavy burden borne by the cities, Mayor George declared. According to the Cameron Report the provincial government should undertake 35 per cent of educational costs, but actually in Victoria it bore only 36 per cent of the cost, leaving 64 per cent for the four municipalities of the area, and in Vancouver only 26.37 of the cost.

Speaking of other social services, Mayor George told the committee that the Union of B.C. Municipalities has always maintained that social services, which include education, hospitalization, relief in all forms and any service which does not bear a measurable relation to real estate, should be paid for by some other means than a tax on real estate. The solution to the many problems incidental to this faulty basis of providing for social services, he felt, would be to have some national method instituted to provide for hospitalization and social services generally.

"Modern methods of transportation have made possible a large floating population which cannot be localized and in times of stringency it is natural for individuals to move either to milder climates or with the hope of improving their position," Mayor George continued. "British Columbia is one end of the line."

TAX EXEMPT LANDS

He also spoke of the difficult position faced by Esquimalt be-

cause of the large proportion of tax exempt lands, provincially and federally owned, within its boundaries. In the municipality he said there is \$9,707,145 property exempt from taxation, leaving a total taxable assessment of only \$2,793,429, while the municipality had to provide services for all the property.

"The cost of these municipal services to the Dominion and province should be borne by all the population, either national or provincial, and should under no pretext be shouldered upon and become a handicap to the municipality where they happen to be located," Mayor George contended.

Hole-In-One Contest Brings Large Sum For Solarium

Although Saturday night's returns of the Hole-In-One Contest are yet to be counted, officials of the Victoria Gyro Club, sponsor of the affair, are confident the proceeds of this year's carnival will exceed last year's total of \$7,300. The money will be used toward the construction of a new nurses' home at the Queen Alexandra Solarium for Crippled Children.

Herbert Cook, 1023 Pandora Avenue, took top honors of the golf tournament to win the \$350 refrigerator which was offered as a grand prize. Cook came through with a hole-in-one to merit the award.

Saturday's daily prize winner of \$15 was Jack Pinniger, 527 Niagara Street, who came within two and one-half inches of sinking his tee shot. W. Walsh, 507 Simcoe Street, put a ball three inches from the hole to win the \$10 prize, and A. McIntyre, 2634 Dewdney Avenue, took the \$5 prize when his shot stopped four inches from the hole.

Harry Burnett, 1443 Richardson Street, won the daily tomato prize.

During the four-day event, thousands of Victoria shotmakers turned out to compete in the contest. More than 8,000 shots were made but only four resulted in holes-in-one.

2 Indians Drown

PRINCE RUPERT (CP)—Two Indian fishermen were drowned Sunday when their dinghy overturned in Prince Rupert harbor.

Witnesses said the men, George and Vincent Leighton, be-

Women Bowlers Celebrate Anniversary



Alderman Margaret Christie throws the silver jack at the 25th anniversary of the Victoria Ladies' Lawn Bowling Club at the Beacon Hill greens Saturday. In background, left to right, are: James McMartin, Mr. Gray, Mrs. Percy Taylor, Mrs. Harris, Bill Straith, M.L.A.; Mrs. Burns, first president of the club 25 years ago, and Davie Robertson. Matches were held in the afternoon and evening and the ceremony was attended by visitors from the United States and other Victoria clubs. Prizes were presented to various match winners and tea was served at both afternoon and evening games.

Poor Price Paid By Britain For Canadian Wheat Scored By M.P.

NOTTINGHAM, Eng. (CP)—R. S. Hudson, former Conservative Minister of Agriculture, said in a speech at the week-end that if Food Minister Strachey had been more generous to Canadian wheat growers Britain would have avoided the necessity of relying on Argentina in the food emergency.

He said the price paid Canadian farmers under the four-year wheat agreement was lower than world prices last year.

"Canadian farmers had an exportable surplus over and above the amount they contracted to sell us," he added.

"While the world price was better than ours, they naturally sent their earlier deliveries to those centres where they would

be able to make up her wheat shortages by buying from Argentina and the Argentine government took full advantage of Strachey's weak negotiating position. We had to pay £30 (\$120) a ton for our wheat from the Argentine while the Argentine government itself only paid producers about £13, thus making a profit at our expense of more than 100 per cent.

"If Strachey had been a little more generous to our own kith and kin in the Dominions he could have bought substantially

more Canadian wheat and saved himself the necessity of having had to rely in the emergency on the Argentine."

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Canadian Writing Praised By Agency

Mrs. Doris Hedges, executive director of Hedges, Southam and de Marlan, first writer's agency in the Dominion, who will address the Canadian Authors' Association meeting here this week, has complete confidence in the future of Canadian writing.

Although Canadian writers had much to learn in the matter of story writing, Mrs. Hedges said Canadian writing possessed a virile quality of its own. The chief fault in Canadian writing was the devil-may-care attitude in writing and the lack of artistry.

Mrs. Hedges said both England and France were anxious to receive Canadian work because it was not adulterated by outside influences and possessed a quality of its own.

Count 516 Fatalities On U.S. Holiday

NEW YORK (AP)—More than 500 persons died of highway traffic and other mishaps during the three-day weekend observance of Independence Day in the United States.

From 6 p.m. Thursday until Sunday midnight there were 248 reported deaths in automobile accidents, 160 drownings, five in fireworks explosions, and 103 from miscellaneous causes, a total of 516.

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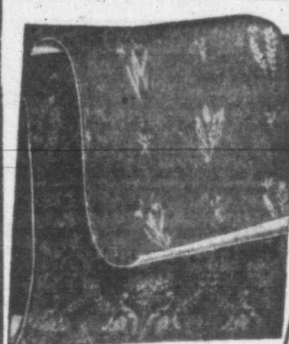
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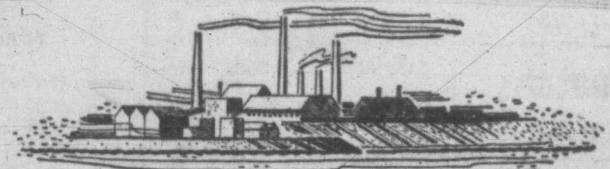
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Lauren B. Sykes, the brilliant organist of Portland, directed the choir and also gave two groups of contrasted organ solos for which he received a great ovation.

At the commencement of the recital Dr. H. A. McLeod welcomed the visitors to the church and stressed the value of such visits in cementing the friendship between two great nations. Alderman F. C. Mulliner on behalf of the mayor and city council, extended greetings also and hoped the choir would have an enjoyable stay in the city.

Of local interest was the inclusion on the program of a composition by J. Ingram Smith, organist of First United Church entitled "Joyous Spring." This displayed the delicate effects to advantage and at the conclusion of the performance of that number Mr. Sykes called on the composer to share in the ovation from the audience.

Convention Hears Of F.O.E. Growth

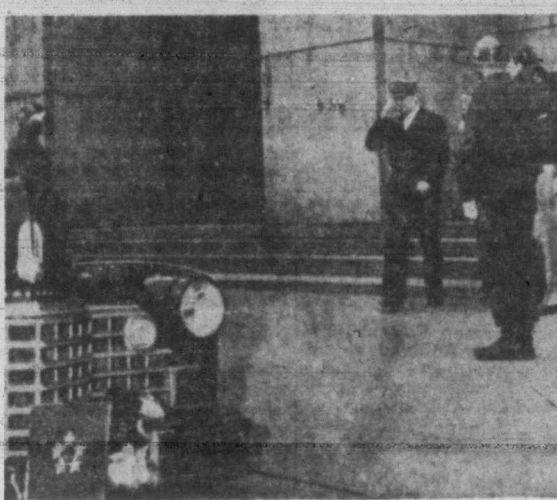
Membership grides made by the Order of Eagles were reported upon at the convention held in New Westminster which was attended by a strong delegation from Victoria.

M. P. Paine, W. Bridgewood, Cecil Holt and J. W. Right were among those attending from this city.

Reports showed there are 16 series in British Columbia and it is expected there will be 10 more by the end of the year.

Delegates were told that in Canada and the United States there are now 1,800 series with a membership of 1,600,000.

Collections for the Eagle Memorial Fund now total \$2,750,000. The major portion of the fund is used to educate and care for 3,009 children whose fathers lost their lives during World War II. The convention went on record



MacArthur's Honor Guard at Work in Japan — As U.S. General Douglas MacArthur leaves his headquarters in the Dai Ichi building in Tokyo (top) he returns the salute of members of his honor guard. At bottom, Pfc. Nicholas Zwilling searches Japanese workers for contraband as they leave the same building by the rear door. He is also a member of the honor guard which is comprised of carefully-selected enlisted men. They are responsible for the safety of the general and his staff.

Canada Sending 900 Combines To Help Huge U.S. Harvest

WASHINGTON (AP) — More than 900 grain harvesting combines from Canada have been obtained to help harvest the bumper wheat crop and 200 more are ready for entrance, Representative Clifford Hope (Rep.-Kans.) said at the week-end.

Some of the combines are expected to be used in the Kansas wheat fields, where appeals have been made for the machinery to harvest the huge wheat crop which Hope said had ripened throughout the various districts of the state simultaneously this year.

In addition, he said, from 65 to 70 a day have been reaching Kansas from states to the north — Nebraska, Montana, the Dakotas and Minnesota. About 200 daily have been coming into Kansas, he was told, from Oklahoma and Texas, where most wheat has been harvested.

Hope said he had received many appeals from Kansas producers and grain men urging quick action to get harvest equipment into the area.

From Liberal, Kas., he said, he had received a telegram declaring 300 combines were needed in one county alone and that "a similar situation rapidly is approaching" in others.

Hope was told four times as many combines are needed in that area this year than were used in 1946.

A shortage of box cars to haul the grain to terminal elevators exists, the Liberal informant said, and elevators are filled.

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as favoring an increase in the old-age pension and extension of social security to all employed wage earners in Canada—such extension to include protection against sickness and disability.

Another resolution called on each local aerie to establish a civic committee to co-ordinate the activities of the aerie in the field of community service and to ensure the aerie.

Attlee's Popularity Holding Fairly Stable, Poll Finds

From British Institute of Public Opinion

After a period of initial decline, Prime Minister Attlee's popularity in England seems to have stabilized.

The Labor government took office two years ago this month. Mr. Attlee's popularity at the beginning of his administration was measured by the British Institute of Public Opinion which found, in August, 1945, that 66 per cent of the voters polled approved of Mr. Attlee's handling of his job.

This high figure began to come down as Britain's postwar food and financial crises deepened and as the government's program for nationalization of industry unfolded itself. By October, 1946, the Prime Minister's popularity was down to 53 per cent. It has continued virtually unchanged since that time.

Following is the trend as shown in surveys by the British Institute.

"On the whole, do you approve or disapprove of Mr. Attlee as Prime Minister?"

	Approve	Disapprove	No. Opinion
Aug. 1945	66%	34%	15%
Oct. 1945	53%	47%	12%
Feb. 1947	53%	47%	12%
Today	51%	49%	13%

It will be noted that, while the number expressing approval has shown little change in recent months, the proportion expressing disapproval has increased since February, most of the increase having come from the group previously "on the fence" and expressing no opinion about the Prime Minister.

In spite of the decline, Mr. Attlee is more popular than his party.

The trend of basic strength, irrespective of the personalities of political leaders, is shown in the following vote:

"If an election were held today how would you vote?"

	Labour	Cons.	Liberal	Party & Other
Election 1945	46%	39%	15%	1%
May 1946	42%	39%	19%	1%
Jan. 1947	44%	41%	15%	1%
May 1947	44%	41%	15%	1%

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Friday morning at 10.30 marriage vows were exchanged at St. Barnabas Church by Miss Jean Louise Sinclair, only daughter of Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Sinclair, 152 Dallas Road, and Frederick William Arber, M.D., youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Arber,

Tweed, Ont. Rev. E. Munn read the nuptial service.

The young couple are spending their honeymoon motoring over island. They will make their home on Devonshire Crescent in Vancouver, where Dr. Arber is attached to Shaughnessy Military Hospital.

A two-piece model suit of imported beige gabardine wool, was worn by the charming bride, who was given in marriage by her father. Her brown accessories were in tone with her model off-the-face hat, and a corsage bouquet of mauve orchids completed her ensemble.

A wedding luncheon for immediate relatives was held at the home of the bride's parents, following the ceremony. The table was centred with a wedding cake, flanked by tall white candles in

silver holders, and a crystal bowl of pink carnations.

Mrs. Arber is a graduate of University of B.C., and Dr. Arber, a graduate of Queen's University, Kingston, Ont.

Juvenile D.O.E.—Princess Margaret Rose Juvenile Lodge, No. 40, Daughters of England held a successful garden party at home of their president, Miss Louise Naysmith, 2947 Shelbourne Street. Worthy Sister Singleton, president of Princess Alexandra Lodge, No. 18, officially opened the fete and was presented with a corsage bouquet of pink carnations. A corsage bouquet was also presented to Mrs. Naysmith. Among the guests were Worthy Sister Short, president of Primrose Lodge No. 32, with many other members from both adult lodges. Stalls, decorated in white and blue were covered by the following: Needlework, Worthy Sister Swan and Marilyn Naysmith; white elephant, Sister Dwyer and Margaret Medd; home cooking, Sister Jacklin and May Craycroft; lemonade, Louise Naysmith; bingo, Worthy Sister Bell; afternoon tea, Mesdames J. Naysmith, Tudore and Baker.

Personal Notes

Miss Bernice Butteris, a member of the staff of the Royal Jubilee Hospital, was a weekend visitor in Vancouver.

Miss Barbara Bullock-Webster left for Vancouver this afternoon en route to Kelowna where she will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas van der Vliet for the next month.

Miss Eve Lattice, 1120 Faithful Street, and Miss V. M. McConaghy, Woodley Road, left aboard the Ss. Maguinna for Long Beach, V.I., where they will spend two weeks.

Mrs. J. MacConnachie with her children, Barbara, Jacqueline and John, arrived Saturday from Sherridon, Man., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Greenwood, High Street.

Victorians staying at Qualicum Beach Hotel during the past week included Mr. and Mrs. George Whitaker and baby, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Lowrie, Mrs. H. C. Cowdry and Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Temple.

Mrs. Violet Edward leaves by plane this afternoon for West Point Grey to attend the marriage of her niece, Miss Joan Fairley to Mr. Raymond McLeod which takes place at St. Helen's Church.

Rev. and Mrs. Gordon L. King with their daughters, Betty and Patricia, are in Victoria from Saratoga, Calif., to spend the holidays with Rev. King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederic King, Medina Street.

Dr. and Mrs. H. Carson Graham, North Vancouver, with their daughters, Marion and Jean, and Dr. Graham's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight L. Graham, of Milwaukee, Wis., were visitors at the Empress Hotel last week-end.

"Cedar Echo," Prospect Lake, the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. McCall, was the scene of an informal party last week, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Srell, of Brussels, Ont., who motored from eastern Canada to Victoria on their honeymoon trip.

Among Victorians who left over the weekend for Vancouver to attend the six weeks' radio script writing and play production course at the University of British Columbia were Mrs. Audrey St. Denis Johnson, accompanied by Mr. Johnson, Miss Moyra Mulholland and Mr. Ronald Wilson.

Miss Muriel McInnes and Mr. R. Wilson, who are to be married this week, were honored when fellow members of the Victoria Citadel Songster Brigade gathered for a social evening. Games were played and refreshments served. The honor guests were presented an electric automatic iron.

Miss J. E. M. Bruce, sailed from Vancouver on the weekend aboard the R.M.S. Loch Garth for England, via the Panama Canal. She will pay a round of visits to relatives in the British Isles and attend the Associated Countrywomen of the World Convention in Amsterdam in September, before returning to Victoria in the late fall.

In compliment to Miss Teddy Bradford, whose marriage to Mr. R. Smith took place Saturday, her sister, Mrs. W. Frank Hyslop, entertained at the tea hour at her home, 1322 Thurlow Road. Mrs. William Hyslop presided at the tea urn. Others invited were Mrs. M. M. Smith, Mrs. George Mellor, Mrs. J. Pollard, and Mrs. I. R. Burns and Mrs. A. C. Martin of Vancouver, and Miss May Craig.

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Teen-Age Girls' Camp

Miss Marjorie Anstie, a former Victorian, has been made sports director for the Victoria C.G.I.T. Teenage girl camp to be held at Saseenos in the Sooke district, from August 18 to 27.

Other leaders are Miss Marjorie McKay, Alberni; Miss Margaret Walker, superintendent of C.G.I.T. groups at First United Church; Miss Marian Matcham and Miss Bernice Davies. Mrs. W. Lewis, R.N., will be camp nurse.

Miss Ruth Peat, director of Victoria C.G.I.T. and of the teenage girls' camp, has just returned from a camp directors' conference in Vancouver where it was announced that mainland church camps for girls are reserved to capacity. A large registration is also expected for the Victoria camp.

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Board who are sponsoring the camp, have registration forms. Chairman of the camp committee is Mrs. J. Ingram Smith, 1271 Kings Road, assisted by Miss Marjorie McMillan, 639 Langford Street, as registrar.

The camp is open to all girls between the ages of 12 and 17.

Mrs. Charles A. Banks To Open Garden Fete

Mrs. Charles A. Banks will open the annual garden party to be held by Christ Church Cathedral Women's Parish Guild, Wednesday afternoon in the Bishop's garden, Vancouver Street, at 3 o'clock.

The afternoon's attractions will include homecooking, fancywork, apron and linen stalls; tea to be served in the auditorium of the Memorial Hall. A short and varied program will be featured by pupils of Florence Clough's dancing school. General convenor of the affair is Mrs. George Miles, president of the guild.

Newlyweds Travel In United States

Gordon James Ireland and his bride, the former Miss Phyllis Irene Heal, who were married early Saturday evening at St. Luke's Church, Cedar Hill, are motoring in United States on their honeymoon trip.

White nylon net-embossed in lily of the valley pattern, over whispering taffeta, fashioned the wedding gown, styled with princess slenderness at the waist, high neckline and cap sleeves. A full-length veil misted over the peplum skirt from a tiara head-dress, and the bride carried a bouquet of red roses and sweet peas.

Identical gowns of nylon net over taffeta similar to the bride's gown, were worn by Mrs. Olive McHattie, matron of honor, in pale green, and Miss Joyce Mries, bridesmaid, in pale yellow. Picture hats and bouquets of gladioli completed their ensemble.

Nieces of the bride, Anne Heal and Norma Marshall, wore orchid gowns of nylon over taffeta, with halos of yellow rosebuds in their hair. Both carried colonial bouquets of yellow rosebuds and white carnations.

Gordon Ash acted as groomsmen. Brothers of the bride and groom, Victor Heal and Jimmy Ireland, were ushers.

C. Edwards presided at the organ, and Mrs. Noel sang, "I'll Walk Beside You." Rev. F. Pike conducted the service.

Guests were received by the young couple and their mothers before a flower-decked arch at St. Luke's Parish Hall. Vases of roses, and tall lighted candles flanked the three-tier cake. Toast to the bride was proposed by A. Sansbury.

An orchid corsage bouquet added a festive note to the bride's three-piece traveling suit, with which she wore white accessories.

Mr. and Mrs. Ireland will return to the city to make their home.

Club Calendar

Capital City Temple, No. 35, Pythian Sisters, sewing tea at home of Mrs. E. Cruickshank, 2826 Prior Street, Tuesday at 8.

Women of the Moose, Victoria Chapter, No. 25, business meeting, Wednesday at 8. Boilermakers' Hall, 902 Government Street. St. David's-by-the-Sea, Women's Guild, at home of Mrs. A. Taylor, Cordova Bay Road, Tuesday at 2.30. Mrs. T. H. Grainger will be co-hostess and plans for a garden party will be made. W.A. to Pro Patria Branch, No. 31, last meeting of summer, tonight at 8, Hard-of-Hearing Hall, Douglas Street.

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Silk embroidered net held by a coronet, cascaded over the bridal gown of heavy white satin designed with sweetheart neckline and bodice shirred at the waist. American Beauty roses and gardenias were carried by the bride, given in marriage by H. Rogers.

Wearing aqua taffeta with bandeau of matching flowers in her hair, Mrs. George Caddick, sister of the groom, was matron of honor. Miss Evelyn Rogers and Miss Joyce Donaldson, in pink and blue taffeta gowns, were bridesmaids. Both wore calots to match their gowns and carried colonial bouquets.

A reception followed at the home of the groom's parents, 957 Westing Road. Mrs. Rogers assisted the bride and groom in welcoming guests, and Norman Renaug gave the toast. A three-tier wedding cake, flanked by Talmisan rosebuds, centred the bride's table.

For the motor trip to Long Beach, Wash., the bride chose a tailored suit of fine grey and white, check, with topcoat to match and grey and white accessories. Her corsage bouquet was of red rosebuds.

Mr. and Mrs. Rogers will make their new home at 957 Westing Road.

Homemade Candy A Feature At Garden Party



Mrs. B. J. Wallace, Mrs. W. A. McDonald, Mrs. C. W. Hawkins and Mrs. Gordon Scafe, left to right, make and pack delicious homemade candy for the garden party planned by women of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church at the home of Mrs. Harold Husband, Rutland Road, the Uplands, Wednesday afternoon.

Plans have been completed for the garden party planned by women of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church at the Uplands home of Mrs. Harold Husband, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. A. M. Boyd will receive guests while Mrs. J. L. Clay will usher visitors to the dining-room where afternoon tea will

be served. Invited to preside at the tea were Mrs. J. L. W. McLean, Mrs. C. C. Warren, Mrs. H. Warren, Mrs. A. MacKinnon, Mrs. T. Cree and Mrs. W. Head.

A program of highland dancing has been arranged by Adeline Grant Duncan. Stalls are convened as follows: Fish

pond and ice cream, Mrs. L. W. Johnson; candy, Mrs. W. A. McDonald; miscellaneous, Mrs. F. G. Greenway; corsages, Mrs. F. W. Briers.

Mrs. F. A. Lindsay will be in charge of gate receipts.

The general conveners are Mrs. C. W. Paulin and Mrs. F. G. Greenway.

Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. P. Pitt, 2888 Heath Drive, announce the engagement of their daughter, Beryl Grace, to C. S. G. (Stanley) Willes, son of Mrs. Frederick Willes, Vancouver, and the late Mr. Willes. The marriage will take place on Aug. 8 at St. Martin's-in-the-Field.

The engagement is announced of Joan D. Garrard, 626 Foul Bay Road, eldest daughter of Mrs. W. A. B. Garrard and the late Lt. Cmdr. Garrard, to John F. Stewart, Regina, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Stewart, Dysart, Sask. The wedding will take place quietly in St. George's Church, July 25, at 3 p.m. Rev. Wm. Hills will officiate.

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Dear Miss Dix: What are the rights of parents? Have they any right to force a married couple to live with them because they do not want to be parted from their son? Is it not selfish of them not to consider the happiness of the young wife and to respect her desire for her own home? No two families can live together in peace, unless the daughter-in-law reduces herself to the state of a part-time mother's helper, or a child who has no liberties whatever.

This is my story and I can see no ending to it except breaking up my marriage.

DESPERATE.

Answer: When their children marry, parents automatically forfeit the privilege of running

their lives for them. It is the young couple who have the right of decision on all matters that appertain to their happiness, and fathers and mothers make a criminal mistake in interfering with them.

Every wife has the inalienable right to her own home, unencumbered by her in-laws, or her own family, for that matter. It is an instinctive desire that is born in her. Every little girl plays "keeping house." By the time she is 10 years old, she knows exactly what kind of curtains she is going to have in her own home when she is grown, and whether she is going to use tablecloths or doilies on the table in the dining-room. And if you smash this dream for her, you wreck her marriage.

POSSESSIVE MOTHERS

Every woman in the world knows how every other woman feels about having her own home. And so it is a strange cruel thing that so many possessive mothers are mean and selfish enough to deprive their daughters-in-law of this happiness in order that they can keep their Johnny or Tommy with them, still tied to their apron strings.

Dear Miss Dix: I love a young lady who is very selfish. If she doesn't get her way in everything she frets and whines. She also has a very bad temper and is spoiled. Now what I would like to know is whether this girl will change after we are married. Will she make a good wife, or should I try to forget her?

ROY H.

Answer: No. She will not change. A girl who has been spoiled by her parents makes the worst possible wife, and she expects her husband to be the same kind of doormat her father and mother have been. She never changes because what has been bred in her from her infancy up has become part of her character and can never be eradicated.

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'Red Patch' Canadians Hit Sicily Beaches 4 Years Ago Thursday For Their 'D-Day'

By ROY THORSEN
Times reporter who was with the
Canadians in Italy

While to scores of other divisions of the Allied armies the assault on Normandy's shore-line on June 6, 1944, is the big day in their wartime experiences, to the boys of the Canadian Army who sported the red patch of the First Division four years ago on Thursday is the outstanding date in their minds.

On July 10, 1943, the First Canadian Infantry Division participated in the first World War II assault onto continental Europe. In company with other formations of the British and U.S. armies they spilled onto the south beaches of Sicily to start the fight up the mountainous "boot and football" countries.

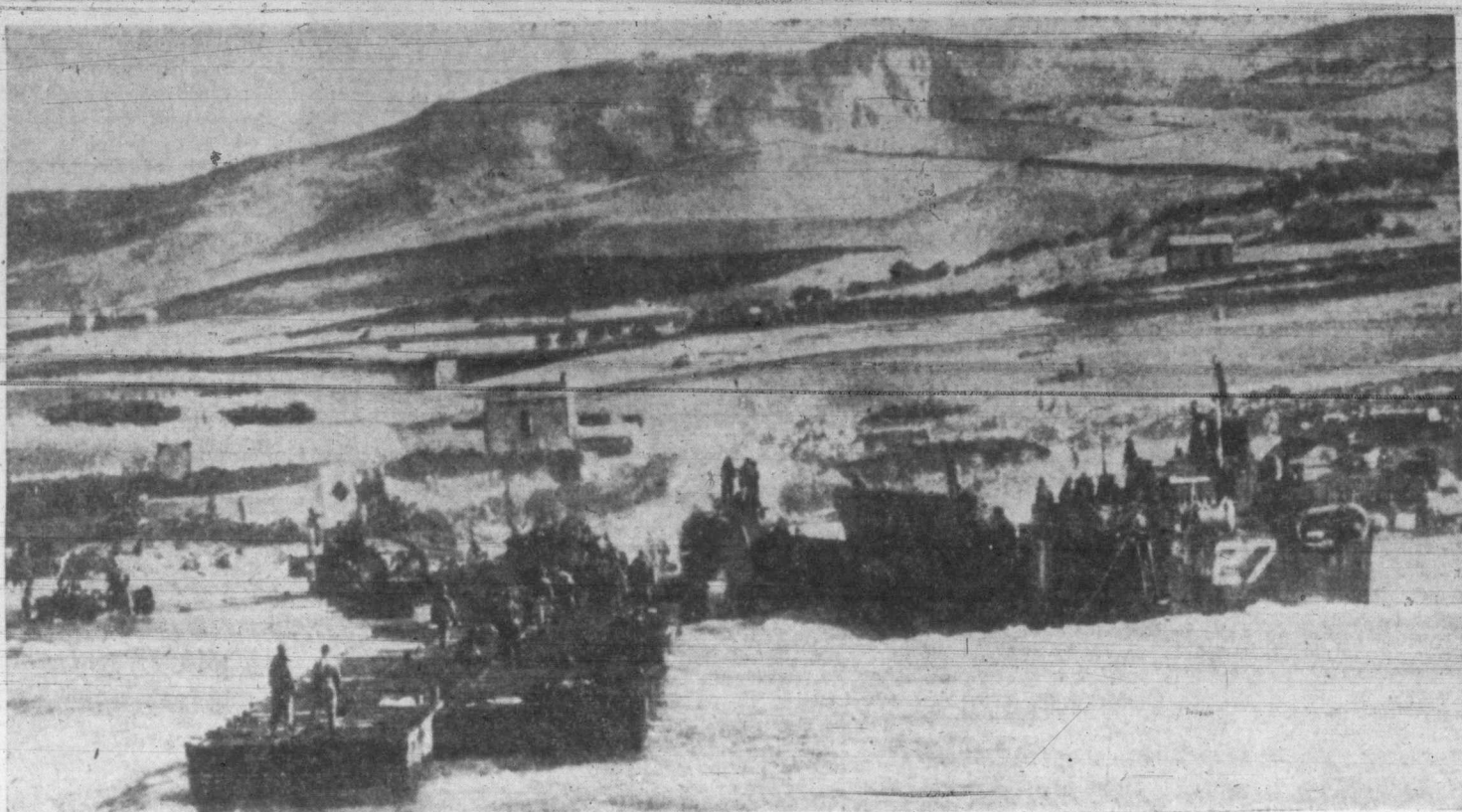
The Canadian division's first major brush with "Tedeski"—Italian fascists of the meaning of "Hun"—was on July 15 when it was victorious in capturing the hill town of Grammechele.

Before the 38-day campaign ended, the Canadians, by then labeled with the name of the "Red Patch Devils" by the enemy took, or helped take, a number of towns. Some of the more prominent of these were Leonforte, Assore, Agira and Regalbuto.

In the first four weeks of the Sicilian fight, the First Canadian Division marched about 120 miles through the rugged, mountainous country—further than any other division in the Eighth Army.

Those "Sicily Sores"

It operated in continuous, extreme heat and for most of the



First picture received here of Canadians' assault on Sicily beaches on July 10, 1943, shows the landing operation.

way was in constant touch with the enemy. Many veterans of that fight today can show black smudges on their legs, arms and body, the aftermath of the

dreaded "Sicily Sores" which sprang from mere scratches.

Gen. Montgomery—now Lord Montgomery—selected the Canadians as the force he preferred to administer the "Sunday punch" to the Germans in Sicily, a crushing left-hook blow that broke the Etna Line.

Total Canadian casualties in Sicily, according to figures compiled by the army's historical section, were 173 officers and 2,261 other ranks.

Of these 33 officers and 447 other ranks were killed or died of wounds.

AND THEN ON TO ITALY

It was on Sept. 3 of the same year the Canadians, reinforced to make up for casualties suffered, poured across the Messina Straits and got their feet on the toe of Italy to begin a long arduous fight against the enemy in a country that was ideal for conducting delaying-action warfare.

Still vivid in the minds of all who survived the Sicily fight and the war is the tortuous march up the mountainous foot of the boot.

Although seasoned to marching from countless schemes over the English countryside for several years, the soldiers found the uphill march a backbreaking ordeal.

When a rest was ordered after several days to give divisional engineers opportunity to bridge chasms hundreds and thousands of feet deep made impassable for vehicles by Jerry demolitions, it was certainly welcomed.

After the rest came days of

dusty riding in transports up the foot and ankle of the boot until the enemy was again contacted in the vicinity of the Fascist city of Potenza. Grim fighting waged until Campobasso was taken into the Canadian bag. Another rest and there followed another lengthy ride up the east coast, over the bridge-blown Sangro River to open the month-long battle against a hard-fighting enemy for Ortona, which fell completely to Canadians a couple of days after Christmas.

HELPED CRACK GUSTAV, HITLER LINES

Following a long period of "holding action," the Canadians, joined now by the 5th Canadian Armoured Division, were switched over to the west coast for the mid-next-year campaign that resulted in the cracking of the Gustav and Hitler Lines, which caused a heavy casualty rate in the ranks of the Canadian divisions.

Before the summer was past the Canadians were back hammering at the enemy, this time

hundreds of miles north, on the east side again, in the fight to breach the Gothic Line. And then onto the Plains of Lombardy, forcing the enemy back to winter static line which was the Senio River. Before that winter of rain, snow, sleet and ice was written into the history books, the Canadians were withdrawn from Italy to join the other formations of the Canadian Army in the closing chapter of the war in Northwest Europe. Over the battle route in Sicily and Italy today are grim re-

mindes of the heavy price Canada paid in fighting men in khaki in the almost two-year fight of the divisions against the enemy there.

They are in the form of military graveyards, which Italians have given assurances they will care for as a token of their esteem for men who fought to free their country of the Nazis and paid the supreme sacrifice.

Britain Observes Day Of Prayer

LONDON (Reuter).—To village church and cathedral the people of Britain went Sunday in answer to the King's summons to a national day of prayer for the welfare of Britain and the Commonwealth.

In St. Paul's Cathedral, the Royal Family, members of the cabinet and diplomatic corps heard Most Rev. Geoffrey Fisher, Archbishop of Canterbury and Primate of All England, rally the nation to "the hard task of securing the stability, even the survival, of our economic balance, of our social well-being and our national culture, knowing that it matters not only to ourselves but to other nations that we succeed, knowing that neither we without them, nor they without us, can weather the storm."

Now that the war was over, it was not easy to retain "the rhythm of intense effort and the high pitch of national service," the Archbishop said.

The world, he added, was "a sorry confusion of false faiths and half faiths and no faith at all."

During the service prayers were offered for the King and "his ministers in Britain and the Commonwealth, that they might discharge their God-given trust with strength and wisdom," and for the peoples of Britain and other nations.

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Proposed New Bill Of Rights Brings B.N.A. Act Into Debate

OTTAWA (CP) — A renewed drive in the long-standing demand for action to bring to Canada the power to amend the British North America Act—the Dominion's constitution—is expected in some quarters to stem from the current deliberations of the Commons committee on human rights and fundamental freedoms.

This view is prompted by a statement in which F. P. Varcoe, Deputy Minister of Justice and outstanding constitutional authority, traced for the committee recently the many difficulties lying in the way of the committee's plans to draw up a bill of rights to protect Canadian privileges and freedoms.

At one stage during Mr. Varcoe's testimony, for instance, it was suggested that Canada might follow the precedent established in the United States and seek the inclusion in the B.N.A. Act of a preamble which would state that Parliament could not pass laws prohibiting certain actions by the people.

This is the method, it was pointed out, by which the early pioneers of the American republic took steps to ensure that the United States Congress could not take legislative action to interfere with fundamental rights.

Mr. Varcoe promptly pronounced this a "retrograde" step because it would have the effect of taking from Parliament, and consequently from the Dominion, a sovereign right which it already possessed and returning it to the British parliament.

GUESSING AGAIN

Some say Parliament will propose next Saturday night and some say it won't end until the middle of the following week, but in any event there will be a lot of familiar faces missing from the closing scenes of a long and important session.

Whatever the closing date—this column would pick July 16 as likely—there is definitely an exodus of the members of the Commons and the Senate from Parliament Hill until the next session is called early next year. A number of western members, thinking perhaps of that long train trip, already have departed. Others, including ministerial ranks and opposition leader Bracken, have taken trains eastward toward Halifax, where a by-election is scheduled for July 14 and where their persuasive powers, for or against the government of the day, are required.

Lightning Strikes Race Track Crowd

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. (AP)—Lightning cracked into a crowd of 2,000 persons Sunday at a jockey race track west of Colorado Springs, injuring one man severely, sending four others to hospitals and shocking about 20.

About 50 persons were knocked down when the bolt burst among them as they were watching the main event of a race program, the El Paso County sheriff's office reported. First aid for the less severely hurt was administered by ambulance attendants on duty at the track. The five with more serious injuries were taken, with some of the others, to Colorado Springs hospitals by ambulances and in private automobiles.

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To Harvard



Sydney Jackman, 23-year-old grandson of Mrs. F. E. Anfield of View Royal, will continue his graduate studies in Italian history at Harvard University next year. This year he obtained his master's degree in history from the University of Washington, having obtained his bachelor of science in physics from the same university in 1946. He attended Victoria High School 1940-1942, winning the Cecilia Green scholarship, which he did not take up, as he proceeded to the University of California for one year instead of to Victoria College. For two years he served with the American army. During his studies at the University of Washington he held a university fellowship, acting as assistant to the late Prof. C. Eden Quainton for two years.

ROYAL THEATRE

Four paintings inspired by Twentieth Century-Fox's filmization of "The Late George Apley," which is now showing at the Royal Theatre, were recently accorded the honor of being put on exhibition in New York's famous Metropolitan Museum of Art. The exhibition, which was held for two weeks, featured four canvases depicting the principal characters of "The Late George Apley" and were painted by famed American artists, John Faltér, Dean Cornwell, Robert Benney and Douglass Crockwell.

LONDON—To fulfill the last wish of his friend, conductor Dr. Malcolm Sargent is giving a "death concert" in memory of Lt. Col. Sir Ivan Davson known as the London "sugar king." Sir Ivan left £72,000 (\$228,000) requesting a memorial concert within a few weeks of his death.

'Imperfect Lady' Comes To Atlas

A melodrama of gripping interest and sustained suspense arrived today at the Atlas Theatre. It is "The Imperfect Lady," the Paramount film co-starring Ray Milland and Teresa Wright and featuring an exceptionally fine supporting cast that includes Sir Cedric Hardwicke, Virginia Field, Anthony Quinn, Reginald Owen, Melville Cooper and Rhys Williams.

In the title role Teresa Wright portrays a modern young lady who leaves her middle-class home to become an actress. When she falls in love with Ray Milland, candidate for parliament, she gives up the theatre.

Hollywood

A COVER GIRL GOES DRAMATIC

By ERSKINE JOHNSON
HOLLYWOOD (INEA) — Remember all those beautiful cover girls brought to Hollywood back in 1943 for the film, "Cover Girl"? There were 15 of them, and all dreamed of movie stardom.

Today only one, Karen X. Gaylord, a former Minneapolis girl, is still in pictures. All the rest have married or returned to modeling in New York.

Karen, who was a Goldwyn girl for almost three years is playing her first dramatic part with Franchot Tone in Columbia's private eye mystery story, "I Love Trouble."

Karen, "X," she says, "is for expensive"—met Gary Grant in a Mexico City night club last winter, and they still have frequent dates to go dancing.

"He likes to jitterbug," she said. "But he does a lot of extra steps nobody ever heard of." When the 15 cover girls landed in Hollywood, Studio Boss Harry Cohn rented a big house in Beverly Hills, hired a chaperone, and made the girls check with him before dating any of the Hollywood wolves.

"We took it for six weeks," Karen mused, "and then eight of us got mad and moved out. We never went back."

JOHN MACK BROWN'S horse, Rebel, just celebrated his tenth birthday as a star—a longevous record among active thespian animals.

Hollywood cafe comment, as overheard by Mike Markham: "I can see why her face is her fortune. She must have a thousand dollars in small bills just in the bags under her eyes."

Dane Clark "knocked out" ex-



TREVOR HOWARD AND DEBORAH KERR, starring in "I See a Dark Stranger," now being shown at the Capitol Theatre.

middleweight champ Freddie Steele, veteran of 12 years in the ring, for a scene in "Whiplash," just as the script demanded. "And to think," cracked Steele as he bounded back to his feet, "that I rehearsed 12 years—for this."

Warner Brothers have discovered that Joyce Reynolds and Bob Hutton are a good box-office team. They're working in their third co-starring film, "Love at First Sight." Maria Montez will join her beloved Jean Pierre Aumont in Paris in July.

A malt shop for collegians at the University of Illinois is featuring a sundae called "Dick Haymes Special." The menu says it's "two parts nectar, one part honey, served in a dream boat." The astonished proprietor says it happened while he was on vacation.

PLAZA THEATRE

Susan Hayward wears 43 costumes for her role in Walter Wanger's "Smash-Up—The Story

of a Woman" now at the Plaza Theatre. Ace costume designer, Travis Banton, created the spectacular wardrobe which is not entirely "dressing" for the production. Miss Hayward portrays a young wife upon whom is lavished every luxury and, of course, one of the largest of these items is her display of gowns. Lee Bowman, Marsha Hunt and Eddie Albert co-star with Miss Hayward in the Universal-International picture.

DOMINION THEATRE

Leading ladies play an increasingly important part in the success of westerns—particularly the high calibre, de luxe musical westerns in which Republic stars Roy Rogers.

The extremely ornamental young lady who plays opposite him currently in "Hands Across the Border," now showing at the Dominion Theatre, is Ruth Terry, a little girl from Benton Harbor, Michigan.

Where To Go Tonight

(As Advertised)

ATLAS—Ray Milland and Teresa Wright in "The Imperfect Lady."

CAPITOL—"I See a Dark Stranger," starring Trevor Howard and Deborah Kerr.

DOMINION—Roy Rogers in "Hands Across the Border."

OAK BAY—Robert Taylor and Katharine Hepburn in "Undercurrent."

PLAZA—Susan Hayward in "Smash-Up—The Story of a Woman."

RIO—Charles Starrett in "Terror Trail."

ROYAL—Ronald Colman in "The Late George Apley."

Irish Setting For Capitol Film

Scenes of Bridie Quilty's village home, named Ballygarry in "I See a Dark Stranger," now at the Capitol Theatre, were filmed in the lovely little village of Clogher Head near Drogheda. Many of Bridie's friends in the picture are actual residents of Clogher Head, who thoroughly enjoyed taking part. In a burst of enthusiasm they produced a white pony which they felt would show up better in the scenes which were filmed at night. Overlooking Lough Tay, Glenchree, in County Wicklow, where J. Synge wrote some of his famous works, provides a lovely panoramic background.

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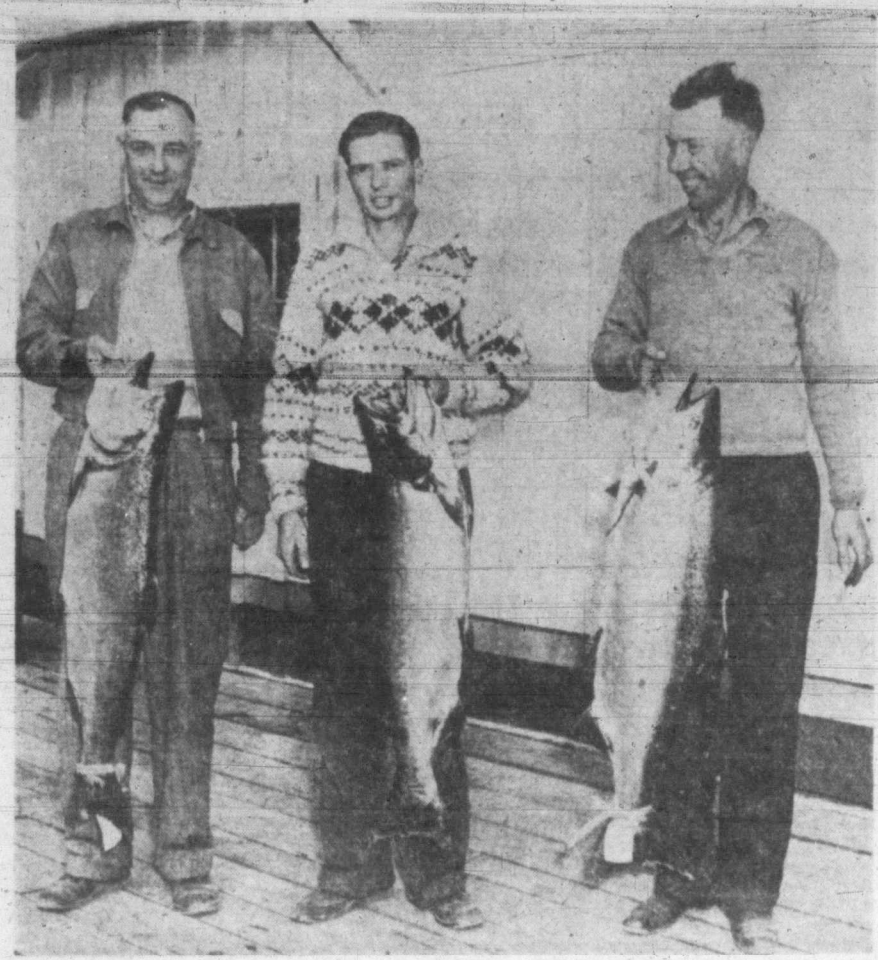
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Big Three In Sunday's Salmon Derby



Norman Jensen, right, displays the 33½-pound salmon he landed to take top prize in the Solarium derby Sunday in Saanich Inlet. In the center is R. O. Lohr with his 27-pounder, which took second prize. On the left, A. C. Ashton with his third button fish in two derbies this year—a 21½-pounder—which won him third prize. He won a prize in the anglers' opening derby a week ago.

Jensen Derby Winner; \$1,400 For Solarium

By ROY THORSEN

Close to \$1,400 will be presented to the Solarium as a result of the second annual salmon derby staged by the Victoria-Saanich Inlet Anglers' Association in Saanich Inlet's sport-fishing grounds Sunday, it was revealed by Harry Woolston, association president.

While the tide was changing at 2 in the afternoon, Norman Jensen, 1234 Acton Street, tied into a big one which he lost in the Deep Hole, but shortly after he made contact with another heavy and was victorious. The weight in a specimen that went 33½ pounds on the scales to win him the first prize Ed Duffin trophy and the mantle radio.

He was using a Lucky Louie plug, 500 feet of line and one pound of weight. It was a double victory for Jensen. He got his silver button, the first button award from the association.

Next heaviest fish in the derby prize ladder was the 27-pound spring registered by R. O. Lohr, Prospect Lake, which won him second prize, a club bag. His was one of the five weighed in at the Goldstream Hall's Boathouse in the derby, which saw fishing generally poor. Director Ed Duffin was one of the high boats of the day with five smaller-size specimens.

A TWO-TIME DERBY WINNER

A. Cecil Ashton, 1112 Empress Avenue, the angler who won his button and a prize last Sunday with a pair of over-20-pound catches, again scored in the prize list. He battled a 21½-pound salmon to a successful conclusion to finish third on the list. His prize was a trillium.

Other prize winners and the weights of their catches were: Fourth—case of silver flatware, Jack Muir, 3041 Quadra Street, 21½ pounds; fifth—rod, reel and line, Earl Speller, Holland Avenue, 20.2 pounds; sixth—toastmaster, Jack Fawcett, 29.4 pounds; seventh—silver cake plate, Eng Que, 18.10 pounds; eighth—Walt Miller, 18.10 pounds; ninth—tackle box and net, George Walton, 17.4 pounds; 10th—Kenwood blanket, Fred Willey, 15.4 pounds; and 11th—liquid compass, George Usher, 14.12 pounds.

Mrs. W. C. Ball, 326 Obed Avenue, was the day's champion female angler. She reeled in a salmon going on 18 pounds to walk off with the Purple The Cleaner Trophy and a silver deposit bowl and a candle-holder set.

In the younger generation, Vernon Harknett, 860 Seymour Street, came through with the laurels in the derby. He landed a 14½ pound spring to take the rod, reel and line minor's prize and the Jacobs Bakery Trophy.

Los Angeles Holds Three-Game Lead In Coast Baseball

Los Angeles Angels were flying high with a handsome three-game lead in the Coast League today.

The Angels got "way up there" by taking two out of three from their nearest rivals, San Francisco, over the weekend. The Angels won the elongated series, five games to three.

Stellar southpaw Cliff Chambers clinched the series by besting the Seals' ace, eighthander Bob Chesnes, 3 to 2, and Bob Joyce edged Red Adams and Don Osborn.

Third-place Oakland split with Hollywood's Stars to wind up five games of the pace. The Oaks rallied for two runs in the ninth to take the opener, 8 to 7, but the Stars bounced back to win the finale, 8 to 1, and the series, five games to three.

Sacramento two-timed San Diego, with Eddie Fitzgerald, the prize rookie catcher, driving in the winning run in each game. The scores were 5 to 4 and 2 to 1.

This gave the solons an even break on the series, four games apiece, which also was the way Portland-Seattle wound up. The Beavers took yesterday's opener, 7 to 0, then succumbed to Seattle, 3 to 2.

First Game: R. H. E. Los Angeles 2 3 0, San Francisco 2 8 1.

Second Game: R. H. E. Los Angeles 2 11 1, San Francisco 2 9 1.

Batteries—Adams and Malone; Joyce and Leonard; Osgood and Malone.

Third Game: R. H. E. Oakland 8 14 1, Hollywood 5 11 0.

Batteries—Beard and Mulcahy; Boston 16, Willie (8) and Rainaldi; Ardina, Gregory (6) and Usher, Cameron (7).

Fourth Game: R. H. E. Oakland 1 4 0, Sacramento 5 13 0.

Batteries—Kennedy; Chapple (1), Blair (3) and Rice; Freitas and Peraz.

Fifth Game: R. H. E. Portland 2 14 1, Seattle 0 9 1.

Batteries—Hobbs and Silvers; Powell, Salsman (9) and Hemalar.

Sixth Game: R. H. E. Portland 2 5 0, Seattle 0 9 1.

Batteries—Robinson, Bianco (6) and Mutator; Reese and Henley.

Bill Rose Joins Victoria Athletics

Bill (Red) Rose, new member of the pitching staff of the Victoria Athletics, arrived in town yesterday and left today for Vancouver to join the club.

The big righthander checked in ready to take his regular turn on the mound and should prove a welcome addition. He had a record of 17 wins against one defeat for Ford Du Lac in the Wisconsin State League last season.

WINS MAYNARD CUP

With a net 69 T. Valentine won the Maynard Cup competition at the Gorge Vale Golf Club Sunday. J. Stratton, E. Barber and F. D. Morten tied for runnerup with net 70s.

Seeded Players Win In City Tennis Meet

With fair weather prevailing over the week-end the Victoria city lawn tennis championships got away to a flying start with over 100 matches completed in the various events.

Both men's and women's matches are well advanced and the flight singles for those defeated in early round play will get under way tonight. The whole event is being managed by a committee representing all city clubs under the chairmanship of W. H. Dobbie.

Due to the heavy entry and in order to give the public a better opportunity to witness the later-round matches it has been decided by the committee that semi-final round matches will be played next Saturday afternoon and final rounds in all events will be run off Sunday. This is a change over the previous plans which called for the final rounds to be played Saturday.

Leading the parade in the men's singles was perennial champion Henry Bennett who recorded straight set victories over Jack Dussault, Harold Sinclair and seventh seeded Rex Jackson. Generally other seeded players fared well with second favorite Carl Brand winning two early round matches from Wally Stipe and Charles La Rose all won early round matches. Sixth seeded Wilmore Brown-Cave was put off by Jim McArthur, in a three-set match, 5-7, 6-2, 6-2.

The social committee of the Victoria Club have arranged a tournament dance to take place in the lounge of the clubhouse Saturday evening.

The men's doubles brought forth the highest matches of the week-end, notable among which was the victory of Jack Parker and George Bishop over third-seeded Dave Williams and Marshall Gordon. The Parker-Bishop duo were within points of defeat before winning 5-7, 9-7, 6-3. The Navy team of George Amyot and Charles La Rose were hard pressed to win a 6-4, 13-11 victory

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The women's singles play the four top seeds Marjorie Unsworth, Patricia Birley, Dot Edwards and Maureen Bell advanced to the quarter-final round without being extended.

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Jensen, Woop Hurl A's To Double Win

Behind the brilliant pitching of Bob Jensen and Bill Woop, Victoria Athletics swept a doubleheader from Tacoma Tigers Sunday night, 5 to 2 and 5 to 3, to move into third place in the Western International League baseball standings. Salem, which had held third place, dropped to fourth after splitting two with last-place Wenatchee.

Yesterday's double triumph gave the Athletics a four-game victory skein and gave them eight wins out of 10 games with the Tigers during the past week. Tonight the Athletics open a three-game series against Vancouver, returning home to engage the Caps in a four-game stand starting Thursday night.

Big Bob Jensen, last year's W.I.L. strikeout king, completed a long automobile drive from San Francisco in time to start the first game for the Athletics, a seven-inning affair. Jensen gave up only four hits, struck out six and walked four. He got a warm welcome back to the league as Pete Tedeschi, first batter to face him, lined the ball over the left field wall for a home run.

Spokane's double win was highlighted by a triple steal in the slam-bang 17 to 2 victory.

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Rampaging Yankees Sweep Doubleheader

New York's Yankees are riding an eight-game winning streak today and enjoy an eight-game margin over Detroit and Boston in the American League flag chase but don't mention "world series" to manager Bucky Harris.

Harris, with fingers crossed behind his back, won't say the Yanks are "in" until he knows for sure that the clubs behind him are playing for second place only.

Joe Page and Allie Reynolds came through with some fine pitching yesterday as the Yankees before 51,957 fans at the Stadium defeated Philadelphia Athletics in both ends of a doubleheader; 8 to 2 and 9 to 2.

The Yankees hammered Carl Scheib for all of their runs in the first three innings of the opener with Joe DiMaggio and Yogi Berra banging homers.

Phil Marchildon of Penetanguishene, Ont., was the victim of the second game. While the Yanks are well

ahead in the American League, the National League finds Brooklyn Dodgers on top today with Boston Braves second by a game and the New York Giants third, 1½ games away.

The Dodgers took the lead away from the Braves by beating them, 4 to 0 behind the three-hit pitching of Ralph Branca at Ebbets Field.

The Giants failed to connect for a homer for the first time in their last 17 games but took the measure of the Phils, 4 to 3.

WIN TWIN BILLS Detroit and Boston both won doubleheaders to remain virtually tied for second place in the American League.

The Tigers defeated the Browns, 10 to 2 and 8 to 4 in St. Louis while the Sox trounced Washington Senators 8 to 4 and 10 to 1 in Boston.

Two four-baggers by Pat Mullin and one each by Dick Wakefield and Roy Cullenbine featured the Tigers' first game win. Cullenbine hit another homer in the nightcap.

Chicago White Sox split a bargain bill with Cleveland Indians, winning the opener 3 to 2 behind the six-hit pitching of Eddie Lopa and losing the aftermath, 5 to 1.

Larry Doby, negro infielder, started his first game in the second affair, and collected one hit and drove in one run while handling eight chances flawlessly at first base.

St. Louis Cardinals moved from sixth to fourth place in the National League standings by blanking the Reds twice, 3 to 0 and 2 to 0 at Cincinnati.

NATIONAL LEAGUE R. H. E. Boston 0 2 0, Philadelphia 4 6 0. Batteries—Barrett, Spahn (4), Shous (9) and Masi; Branca and Edwards.

First Game: R. H. E. Philadelphia 5 7 1, Chicago 3 2 0. Batteries—Jensen and W. Cooper; Schanz, Donnelly (9) and Lasterman.

Second Game: R. H. E. Philadelphia 2 4 0, Chicago 3 8 1. Batteries—Erickson, Kosh (6), Borowy (7) and McCullough; Bonham, Hilde (9) and Howell.

First Game: R. H. E. St. Louis 0 6 0, Cincinnati 4 6 0. Batteries—Meyer, Wyse (1), Patterson (4) and Scheffing; Ostermuller and Sals.

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'Disc' Disappears Into Woods; Other Reports Add To Mystery

BOSTON (AP)—Reports of mysterious flying discs, similar to those described in other parts of the United States, began to reach observatories and newspapers in New England today.

A woman, whose name was not recorded, telephoned the Blue Hill Meteorological Observatory of Harvard University that her husband saw a bright, plate-like object traveling horizontally "about 30 feet above the ground" and disappear into nearby woods at 11:30 Sunday night. The observation, situated in Milton, a Boston suburb, said the woman lived in a nearby town.

Mrs. James W. Tucker, wife of the secretary of the Portsmouth, N.H., chamber of commerce, said she saw a "flying saucer" about four miles off Hampton Beach Sunday evening. At Cambridge, Mass., a woman who got up to attend her baby at 2:30 a.m. today, said she saw "a group of white, flying saucers whirling around and going at tremendous speed—like low-hanging clouds before a hurricane."

MYSTERY MOUNTS

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—From one end of the continent

to the other, new reports of disc-like "flying saucers" skimming through the skies today added to the mystery which has baffled the United States and Canada since June 25.

There was no satisfactory explanation of the phenomenon. The saucers first were reported seen in the state of Washington June 25. Then persons in other western states said they had seen them. The peak came over the U.S. July 4 holiday, when they first were reported seen east of the Mississippi and in the Maritime Provinces of Canada.

Sunday they were reported seen in more than a dozen states and in southwestern Ontario.

Most observers usually agreed that the objects were round or oval. Guesses as to their size had ranged from that of a five-room house or large airplane to one description of "a silver ball, six inches in diameter."

The U.S. army, the navy and the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission all disclaimed any connection with the mystery. A U.S. Army Air Forces spokesman in Washington said the A.A.F. had been checking the reports, but added that we still haven't the slightest idea what they could be.

Traffic Fatalities Up 30 Per Cent

A B.C. motor vehicle branch report today showed an increase of 30.2 per cent in traffic fatalities in the province for the first half of 1947 over fatalities for the first half of 1946.

Accidents increased by 29.2 per cent, while injuries increased 2.7 per cent. Property damage was up 28.3 per cent. The majority of the increases were higher in proportion than the increase in the number of car registrations, which was only 16.2 per cent.

Accident figures were: In the first half of 1947, 4,159 accidents as compared with 3,218 for a similar period in 1946; 56 deaths, compared with 43 in 1946; 1,335

injuries, compared with 1,300 in the 1946 period; \$563,636 damages this year, compared with \$439,414 in 1946, and 151,661 registrations, compared with 132,769 in the first half of 1946.

A special general meeting of the Naval Employees Group of the Amalgamated Civil Servants of Canada has been called for Monday evening at 8 in the Esquimalt Legion Hall, 622 Admirals Road.

B.M.C. Dockyard Civil Service Association monthly meeting will be held tonight in the Y.M.C.A. at 8.

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Funeral Rites Today For Centenarian



LATE MRS. MARY PEARCE

Bishop Harold E. Sexton conducted funeral services at Christ Church Cathedral this afternoon for Mrs. Mary Pearce, 103, a resident of Victoria for 35 years, who died Thursday.

Mrs. Pearce was born and married in Ipswich, England, and remembers seeing Queen Victoria frequently riding in London, when a girl. At 37, Mrs. Pearce left with her only daughter, for New Zealand. She came to Victoria to visit a sister, Mrs. A. A. Green, and liked the city so much she decided to stay.

When residing in Vancouver in her 70's, Mrs. Pearce used to walk six or seven miles without feeling the worse for it. She said she always believed in moderation in everything.

"Moderation in everything always helps," she said, when interviewed a few months before her death. "I always ate well and drank wine moderately."

She said during the interview that time weighed heavily on her hands and that she would be glad when the end came.

"I'll be glad when the Lord takes me away," she said, confessing that her memory was not what it used to be and her sight was failing her.

Mrs. Pearce used to recall many anecdotes of her childhood days in England and her voyage to New Zealand and Australia. She remembered incidents connected with the Crimean war.

Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company is in charge of arrangements. Cremation will follow the funeral service.

Dr. Helen Ryan, Pioneer Doctor, Passes At Jubilee Hospital

Dr. Helen Ryan, the first woman doctor to be granted membership by the Canadian Medical Association of Canada, died Sunday morning at Royal Jubilee Hospital.

Dr. Ryan was also the first woman to graduate from medical school at Queen's University and until her death was the oldest living student of that college.

Born in Mt. Forest, Ont., on June 7, 1860, Helen Reynolds married Thomas John Ryan and went to Sudbury, Ont., to live. In the next 47 years she carried on an extensive medical practice, took care of her home and raised five children.

The Ryan family came west to Victoria in 1907 and officially from that time Dr. Ryan was on the retired list, for she never opened an office here.

Unofficially, she was cognizant of all the ills in the neighborhood, and "doctor" was consulted on many occasions.

With her family grown up, Dr. Ryan turned her keen mind to public affairs. She took part in early efforts to achieve the women's franchise and joined the Local Council of Women and traveled extensively throughout British Columbia, addressing Women's Institutes. She was a member of the original convocation of the University of British Columbia and a charter member of the University Women's Club, being their fourth president and holding one of the four life memberships the club has given.

Until her 80th year she was



active and interested in everything that went on around her. Then, deafness and a series of accidents took their toll and Dr. Ryan gradually relinquished much of her interest in public life.

She lived quietly in the evening of her life with her son, Horace, and his family at 651 Battery Street.

Another son, Harold, lives in Vancouver. There are three daughters, Mrs. A. D. McAllister, Victoria; Mrs. A. E. Parlow, Kamloops, and Miss Aimee Ryan, Seattle.

The funeral will take place at 3:15 Tuesday from the B.C. Funeral Parlors with burial in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

Building \$5,399,020 This Year; Still Ahead Of 1946 Figures

Although both Saanich and Oak Bay show a decided drop in building activity for the first six months of 1947 compared with the first half year of 1946, the total for Greater Victoria is still slightly ahead of that for 1947 because of increased activity in the city and Esquimalt.

The total for this year to date is \$5,399,020, and for last year it was \$5,240,232.

Up to the end of June in the city 893 permits were issued for a total of \$3,196,646 compared with 784 permits for \$2,634,321 last year.

This included permits for 211 houses, valued at \$1,073,340, compared with 159 last year for \$846,100. Only one apartment building has been started this year to date costing \$15,000 compared with seven valued at \$51,500 last year.

For the month of June alone Victoria issued 155 permits valued at \$453,554, and for June

of last year '92 permits valued at \$285,349.

In Saanich to the end of June 558 permits had been issued for a value of \$1,519,640. Of these 302 were for dwellings worth \$1,335,020. The 1946 figures for the same period were 583 permits worth \$1,821,137, 321 of them being for homes valued at \$1,436,270.

During June there were 90 permits issued worth \$203,540, including 42 dwellings valued at \$170,500. In June, 1946, Saanich issued 81 permits for \$165,075, including 34 homes valued at \$141,850.

In Oak Bay there were 100 permits issued during the first six months for \$399,139, compared with 128 permits last year valued at \$505,919.

During June there were 15 permits issued for \$59,528, and last June 11 permits were issued for \$34,990.

In Esquimalt 79 permits have been issued this year for construction amounting to \$283,595. For the same period last year the total was \$278,875.

Nine permits were issued in June for construction amounting to \$23,000. Four of the permits were for dwellings. In June, 1946, six permits, all for houses, were issued, for a total of \$21,000.

Army Leader On Holiday Here Says Infantry To Stay

In spite of advances in the scientific field on warfare, infantry will be required in the event of future wars, Lt.-Gen. Charles Foulkes, C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., chief of the Canadian General Staff, said on his arrival on the coast late last week before coming to the Island Saturday to spend a month's leave in the Cowichan Lake country.

Prior to going on leave the general completed a routine inspection tour of Pacific Coast defences. During the course of this tour he inspected the C.O. T.C. training program, in which 1,642 of "Canada's best undergraduates" are now receiving training.

Enthusiastic about the morale of the men in both the active and reserve forces at the present time, Lt.-Gen. Foulkes said that when the present training scheme is in full swing, Canada will be training army officers at the rate of 600 a year. Then N.C.O.'s will receive special training.

"At the start of the past war we had to re-train all our officers. This will not happen again. Now all training is being given with the most modern equipment, and as new military weapons are made we will train with them. An example is at Calgary where they are training with new tanks," he said.

City-Buster Bomb In U.S. Reported By Paris Newspaper

PARIS (AP)—The newspaper L'Intransigeant today quoted French military circles as saying that a new U.S. atomic bomb "capable of destroying Paris or Moscow" by blasting a hole 2,700 feet deep and 11 miles wide had been tested in New Mexico.

The newspaper said its sources for the information were "Paris military and political circles which had received restricted information" of this nature.

(Robert M. Hutchins, Chancellor of the University of Chicago where the atom bomb was pioneered and president of the committee to frame a world constitution, said recently that "American science and technology had produced a stockpile of new and improved bombs large enough, according to usually conservative sources, to destroy every large city on the earth.")

L'intransigeant said the new bomb, in a test, destroyed a facsimile of a large city, complete with reinforced concrete buildings, built especially for the trial.

C.C.L. Rally Hears Of Plans To Fight New Labor Code

A crowd, estimated by the union organizers of the rally at 300 strong; heard union leaders Sunday evening in Central Park here plead for support of a campaign to defeat the Coalition administration of British Columbia as the father of the new B.C. labor code.

Alex Mitchell, president of the Victoria Labor Council (C.C.L.), which organized the rally, said C.C.F., L.P.P. and Trades and Labor Congress speakers had been invited to address the meeting but since the C.C.F. and T.L.C. had not seen fit to attend it was decided to have no political speakers on the platform.

Highlight of the rally was the arrival of 16 of the girl strikers from Nanaimo who had participated in the strike at the Imperial Laundry Ltd.

Vi Dewhurst, a spokesman for the group, said that while the strikers had not realized originally they were fighting the new labor code they now did and they would carry the fight to the end.

Thomas Panthorpe, Vancouver Island C.C.L. organizer, reported that before organization of the laundry workers in Nanaimo wages had been as low as 17¢ cents per-hour with the average wage 21¢ cents an hour. Present pay ranged from 40¢ to 47¢ cents an hour, he said.

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He added there had been repeated discrimination by the employers against the unionized employees.

Jock Taylor, organizer for the Canadian Seamen's Union (T.L.C.), Vancouver, and delegate to the Vancouver, New Westminster and District Trades and Labor Council, vigorously condemned the new labor code, while R. Metzger, secretary of the Victoria Labor Council, charged the Coalition government was completely dominated by monopoly interests of British Columbia.

Mr. Metzger described the labor lobby to the legislative buildings during the last session as the most militant movement of workers of the province in demanding specific labor legislation. He condemned the action of certain unnamed members of the Coalition government who had promised to oppose the new labor legislation but had later voted for it; scored statements of R. K. Gervin, Birt Showler and G. A. Wilkinson, B.C. A.F.L. leaders, who supported the labor code; contended a majority of A.F.L. workers were opposed to the legislation, and called for the adoption of the following program to have the legislation rescinded.

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Record Number Of Tourists In Victoria During Week-End

Tourist movement reached an all-time peak during the week-end with an estimated 16,000 out-of-town visitors passing in and out of the port of Victoria shattering all travel records of previous years.

Approximately 4,000 foot passengers, including hundreds of cars, mainly from Seattle and Port Angeles, arrived by boat here. Hundreds also arrived by Trans-Canada Air Lines from Seattle.

Influx of tourists was so heavy that major hotel had to turn down hundreds who had not made previous reservations, following what they described as one of the busiest week-ends on record.

Hotels coped with the situation by sending out-of-town visitors to guest houses and auto courts in and around Victoria.

Hundreds of tourists also arrived by way of Nanaimo and Sidney. Some tourist officials estimated that there was as many as 10,000 visitors in Victoria during the July 4 week-end.

C.P.R. officials report they brought record-crowds from Seattle and had a busy time handling the outgoing passengers last night.

Approximately 4,000-foot passengers arrived on the Black Ball ferry M. Chinook during the week-end, according to George Paulin, agent for the Seattle company.

Last night 1,780 passengers and the Coalition government defeated:

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